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## Japanese Guns Pound Nankow and Men Mass For Charhar Campaign

### CHINESE STILL HOLD POSITIONS AND SHOOT DOWN RAIDING PLANE

## Japan's Army Professes Much Concern at Reports of Red Army's March on Peiping

Shanghai, Aug. 11 (1.24 a.m.).

Predicting that a Japanese drive against Central Government troops in Charhar is imminent, the Central News Agency correspondent at Paotingfu reports frequent skirmishing around Nankow Pass and Yenching, while Japanese infantry, cavalry, artillery, armoured cars and aircraft are being concentrated in the Peiping-Suiyuan railway area.

In the same direction the Chinese are concentrating large bodies of men, who, if not as well supported as the Japanese infantry by artillery and mechanised units, are nevertheless capable fighting men and superior in numbers.

Chinese shot down a Japanese plane near Paotingfu in recent fighting, it is reported, killing the pilot. The co-pilot escaped.

The Central News Agency also reports that the Fifth Division of the Kwangtung Army is scheduled to arrive in North China this week to join in the Charhar drive.—United Press.

### NANKOW HEAVILY SHELLED

Tientsin, Aug. 11.

Trainloads of Japanese troops have moved to Peiping from Tientsin in the past 48 hours, blocking normal traffic on the Peiping-Tientsin Railway and indicating that large-scale war preparations by the Japanese are under way.

The Japanese again pounded Nankow Pass early yesterday morning with an artillery barrage, but made no progress after fighting for a few hours.—Hua Nan News.

### Fighting Around Tientsin

Tientsin, Aug. 10.  
Reports that a fleet of Chinese war planes intends to bomb Japanese areas in Tientsin are causing the authorities in foreign concessions to take emergency precautions here.

Flags of the foreign nations have been hoisted, and the British have painted huge Union Jacks on the roads and open spaces about the British concession.

British fighting has broken out west of Tientsin, a portent that real war between China and Japan may not be far off.

Japanese Army officers profess to be gravely concerned at the Chinese Communist activities and say that they have received information that the Chinese Communists which have been operating in Western China for years, and who number some of the toughest fighters in the world are moving towards Peiping at a rapid rate.—United Press.

### Scout Chinese Positions

Paoting, Aug. 10.  
Japanese aeroplanes again appeared over this city to-day. They did not drop any bombs but only carried out reconnaissance over the Chinese military positions at a considerable altitude.

Latest information from the Nankow front reveals that there has been no more fighting apart from small clashes between the advance guards.—Wah Kiu Yat Po.

### Awaiting Reinforcements

Nanking, Aug. 10.  
According to one authority, it is reported that minor clashes occurred both on the Peiping-Suiyuan railway front and the Tientsin-Pukow railway front to-day, but each time the Japanese were repulsed. Observers generally believe that

these clashes are only a play for time, and that a major engagement will not be started until the arrival of Japanese reinforcements.—Wah Kiu Yat Po.

### Shanghai Relaxes Tension

Shanghai, Aug. 11.  
The tension in Shanghai has been somewhat relaxed by an official assurance that both the Chinese and Japanese authorities have decided not to aggravate the situation by any drastic action, and are inclined to resort to diplomatic means to settle the Hungjiao Aerodrome incident, after completion of investigations by both sides.

Mr. Yu Hung-chun, Mayor of Shanghai, called on the Japanese authorities yesterday, explaining the cause of the incident. He said that the two Japanese victims had trespassed in the forbidden area of the Hungjiao Aerodrome on the night in question, with the apparent intention of doing some intelligence work.

The Japanese allegation that the two Japanese carried no arms when they appeared in the Hungjiao Aerodrome is denied by the Chinese authorities, who claim to have secured the arms taken from the bodies of the Japanese by Chinese soldiers.

Meanwhile, it is learned in authoritative circles that Mr. Shigeru Kawagoe, Japanese Ambassador to China, has received fresh instructions from Tokyo and is prepared to proceed to Nanking to try to resume negotiations with the Chinese Government.—Hua Nan News.

### May Await Support

Tientsin, Aug. 10.  
Japan's preparations for another large-scale campaign in the North are being accelerated with the arrival of additional troops from outside the Great Wall.

### BUSY DAYS FOR AIR MINISTRY



LORD SWINTON

As head of the Air Ministry, Lord Swinton is watching with keen interest the evolutions of the Royal Air Force which is simultaneously attacking and defending London. The defence has been particularly sound, four out of the five raiding craft having been engaged by the fast interceptor fighters.

## "RAIDING" BOMBERS ENGAGED

### Few Pass London Air Defenders

London, Aug. 11.

Four out of five of the bombers raiding London last night during the biggest Royal Air Force manoeuvres ever staged, were tackled by fast interceptor fighters, according to an Air Ministry communique issued to-day.

It adds that 49 raids were made by single aircraft and small formations on targets at Enfield, Walthamstow and Kidbrooke, and also on North-east and East London.

The raiders were frequently picked up by searchlight, enabling the fighters to intercept them more quickly and nearly 80 per cent. of the raiders were attacked before they reached their targets.

About 90 combats occurred, and in the majority of cases the raiders were intercepted more than once. Owing to unfavourable weather to-night's exercises will be postponed until to-morrow.—Reuter.

## EXPLORING AVENUES TO TRADE

### Kung Now Guest Of Germany's Officials

Berlin, Aug. 10.

Having completed financial agreements in New York, London and Paris, Dr. H. H. Kung, China's Finance Minister, held a long conversation with Germany's Dr. Hjalmar Schacht, Minister of Economy, to-day. They are reported to have discussed ways and means of increasing the volume of goods exchanged between China and Germany.

Field Marshal von Blomberg, German Army chief, was present at a luncheon given by Dr. Schacht for Dr. Kung.

To-morrow Dr. Kung will have conversations with the German Foreign Office, with State Secretary Dr. von Mackensen.

He will be entertained by Marshal von Blomberg Thursday and on Friday again by Dr. Schacht. Thereafter he leaves for Prague, Czechoslovakia, home of one of the greatest armaments industries in the world.

Later he will go to Rome, and sails for China, from Genoa, on the steamer Scharnhorst.—Reuter.

### COLONIAL APPOINTMENT

London, Aug. 10.  
Mr. W. M. Logan, Commissioner for Local Government Lands and Settlement in Kenya, has been selected as Chief Secretary of Northern Rhodesia, succeeding Mr. Dundas, recently appointed Governor and Commander-in-Chief of Bahama.—British Wireless.

## TENNIS ACES EXPECTED TO PLAY IN HONGKONG

Donald Budge and Gene Mako, United States and Wimbledon doubles champions, are almost certain to visit Hongkong next December according to Harry Hopman, the Australian tennis "ace", in a recent exclusive interview in Melbourne by Mr. Norman Stockton, a Telegraph representative.

Budge and Mako are expected to be nominated to represent the United States in the Japanese championships which take place in November and will afterwards visit Australia.

Hopman and Len. Schwartz have been chosen by the Australian L.T.A. to play in the Japanese championships and Hopman has indicated that they will be willing to appear in exhibitions in Hongkong both on the trip to Japan and upon their return with Budge and Mako in December.

Full story will be found on Page 8.

## Peak Tram Held Up By Landslide

As the result of a landslide just below the Barker Road station, the Peak Tramway service was brought to a standstill yesterday, and was still out of action this morning.

The last tram to make the journey yesterday was the 1.50 p.m., and the stoppage caused considerable inconvenience to Peak residents, many of whom had to make the trip by motor-car, as did numbers of business men this morning.

The clearing of the track is now proceeding, and it is hoped that the work will be completed and the service resumed by to-morrow.

## Campaigning For Return Of Colonies

### Novel Appeal For Sympathy

Berlin, Aug. 10.

A new propaganda campaign for the return of the colonies Germany lost in the last world war has been staged at Hamburg.

In a lake in a public garden, which is frequented by the British community, models of German steamers and German torpedo-boats have been placed in the water and miniature palm trees and tropic scenes have been created along the sides of the lake, indicating German colonies.

Loud-speakers announced at intervals: "We are building gigantic fleets of merchantmen and a strong navy to trade with and protect our colonies. We must have back our colonies, for no great nation can go for long without colonies."—Reuter.

## STOP PRESS

London, Aug. 10.  
It is learned that no steps are being taken at present by the British Government with regard to the expulsion of the Times correspondent, Mr. Norman Ebbutt, from Berlin.

No extra-journalistic activities are alleged against him as far as is known here, and the reason for his expulsion is simply that he is not *persona grata*, whereas it is understood the reason for expelling German correspondents from London is the fact that they have been damaging Anglo-German relations through extra-journalistic activities.—Reuter.

## BUILDING FOR HEALTH BRITISH SCHEME GOES FORWARD

London, Aug. 10.  
Local authorities have been instructed to build health centres and holiday camps and to appoint instructors for physical training under the National Physical Training and Health Bill.

Facilities for exercise for young men and women, including swimming pools and gymnasiums, are recommended in a scheme which will cost many millions, but to which the Government will contribute one half the funds necessary.—Reuter.

### QUITS LEAGUE

Geneva, Aug. 10.  
Salvatore has withdrawn from the League of Nations, making the excuse of lack of funds.—Reuter.

## Insurgents Preparing For Drive

### Italians Reported Massing South Of Toledo

Madrid, Aug. 10.

Italian troops moving northwards to the Toledo front have been bombed mercilessly by Loyalist aeroplanes, it was disclosed to-day.

The Italians, it is stated, were sighted south of Toledo, moving in great numbers towards the front lines 45 miles south of Madrid.

Considerable activity all along the insurgent front is taken here to mean that the Jarama River sector, south of Madrid, may be the scene of the next smash.

Reports of disaffection behind the insurgent lines continue to reach Madrid.—United Press.

### WERE PLANES DISGUISED?

Hendaye, Aug. 10.

Replying to British protests against the recent bombing of the steamer British Corporal off Algiers, General Francisco Franco, insurgent chief, has charged that Russian planes bearing insurgent markings, deliberately set upon neutral shipping in the hope of provoking an incident.

Meanwhile the insurgent courts have declared the British ships Candestone Castle and Mirapano "good prizes," since they were violating the blockade, but has not given a decision respecting the steamer Molton, also seized.—United Press.

### PEREMPTORY DEMAND

London, Aug. 10.

The British Government has presented the insurgent Government in Spain with a peremptory demand for the release of the three British merchantmen, Molton, Candestone Castle and Mirapano, all of which were taken in Loyalist waters.

No time limit for action was made, but the necessity for immediate steps is stressed.—United Press.

### FALSE REPORTS

London, Aug. 10.

In view of certain reports regarding interviews alleged to have been given to the press by the international observing officer who was injured during an attack from the air on August 6, made against the Italian ship Mongiola, the International Non-Intervention Board issued a considered statement to-night that it considered it necessary to state that no communication of any kind has been made to the press by the observing officer or by any other officer of the Board.—British Wireless.

## Italians And British May Reach Accord

### Forecast Of Scope Published

Rome, Aug. 10.

A forecast of the scope of the new Anglo-Italian accord, given by the usually well-informed newspaper, Stampa, says Geneva's recognition of the Italian Empire in Abyssinia is expected in the first fortnight of September, and negotiations for the new accord will take place at the end of the summer.

The accord, says this journal, will amplify the "gentlemen's agreement," but will be more definite. "The two Governments," says Stampa, "will present a series of requests which will require careful examination. The points of contact between the two nations will no longer be limited to the Mediterranean, but will cover the Red Sea and the Indian Ocean."—Reuter.

### NEW GUNBOATS

London, Aug. 10.

The Admiralty has decided to entrust the construction of two river gunboats of the 1937 programme—Dragonfly and Grasshopper—to Thornycroft's Woolston works at Southampton.—British Wireless.



# Routine For Make-Up

ELSIE SCOTT

tells you here  
a famous Hollywood  
expert's method

HOWEVER much we think we know there is always somebody who knows more. That is why fully qualified doctors continue their hospital work, or specialise in some particular branch of medicine.

And that's why actresses who have "arrived" still take singing and dancing lessons.

The reason, too, that I decided to spend a few hours in the London salon of a famous Hollywood make-up expert the other day, I wanted to refresh my knowledge.

How do you apply cream, powder and lipstick?

Well! never mind. Just read the result of my visit.

The expert's first principles are:  
1. Powder should match the skin.  
2. Lipstick should be of the same tone as the natural colour of the lips.  
3. Rouge should harmonise with the colour in the cheeks. He calls it "colour harmony."

NOW for the method. Cleansing cream is wiped off again with a cleansing tissue. A lotion is applied next. If the skin is dry or normal (and there are more dry skins than oily ones, believe me), a skin freshener is used. If it is greasy, an astringent is dabbed over the surface.

Then comes the foundation. Again, the condition of the skin is studied. For a dry or normal skin a blender is chosen; if greasy, a special cream. You don't put it haphazardly all over the skin. A tiny dab is placed on each cheek



These are the rules:  
Blue shadows for the blonde.  
Brown for brown, hazel, or green eyes with little specks of brown in them. At night a green eyeshadow gives an exotic effect.

After the eye shadow comes the rouge.

It is patted on with a puff, not rubbed in. A tiny triangular dab is put on the high point of each cheek and then brought down to follow the natural curve of the bone. Coax it into the full parts of the cheeks and soften the edges.

Rouge should be taken very faintly to the outer corner of the lower eyelid. The white space between eye and cheekbone is thus hidden and a more natural look achieved.

To make a round face appear oval, bring the colour downward to the full part of the cheek and so diminish the high light in the middle of the face.

Should you have a thin face keep the colour away from the nose and middle of the face and persuade it outward to the full part of the cheek.

Are your cheekbones too high?

bone first, then one on the forehead and the last on the chin.

This is called the "five point touch."

It is softened gently over the entire face and then removed to make sure the skin is smooth. So many women leave too much on the skin, and that gives a thick and uneven appearance when the powder goes on.

If you have dark lines under the eyes a suspicion of the blender is placed there. It takes away the hard line and the face looks rounder and more youthful.

WE are ready for the finishing touches now.

Eyeshadow with a creamy base is used as it is easier to mingle with the foundation.

## Beauty Bureau

"FLORENCE F."

Whenever I have a sea and sun holiday I am troubled with little blisters on the lips. Afterwards they turn to horrid little scabs. They are not in the least serious but they invariably disfigure me for about ten days. Just when I want to look my best. Is there any remedy or means of preventing this rash?

THESE small water blisters are caused by the action of the salt water and sun on certain skins.

The only thing you can do is to smear some protecting cream round the lips before bathing or sitting in the sun. Wipe it off afterwards with a pad of soft cotton-wool or cleansing tissue. Use a foundation cream before applying powder and protect the face as much as possible from the direct rays of the sun. The lotion you mention is largely recommended for sunburn and its attendant irritations.

"N. H."

I am only 22 and am I getting desperate about a growth of strong, dark hair on my arms, legs, face and on my chest. Do you think that this can be caused by any medical disorder and can a doctor help?

AN abnormally strong growth of hair, such as you mention, may be due to some health

## SHORT SKIRT REVIVAL

SHORTER and lighter skirts are the lot of women this season, and many of the newest reach only to about two inches below the knees, and although many break into loose pleats, some can scarcely be lighter without crippling the wearer.

Only recently there bounded into the fashion scheme that little girl skirt which has been argued on and off the boards for several years. It reaches to just below the knees and the pleats are so arranged that it opens at the lower left side, near the knee. There are several versions of the short skirt which are altogether in keeping with the lines of the abbreviated summer jacket. One is a light affair to just below the knees, and to make walking possible; it is slashed to a depth of three or five inches precisely at the centre back, which openings in walking give a pant-leg effect.

## When Meat Is Tough

"TOUGH and tasteless," declares a housewife, indignantly, of meat that has proved an unpalatable dish. And, though the butcher may reply with a perplexed "Can't understand it, Ma'am," he often knows perfectly well that nothing but careless cooking can have spoiled the very excellent joint for which he is held accountable.

"Oh, I just pop it in the oven" you may, perhaps, hear an experienced cook say airily. And the novice, tasting the admirable result of this apparently simple treatment, imagines that there is nothing more to be learnt about the preparation of meat for the table. Never was there a bigger mistake. The expert cook does not deal so summarily with the meat cuts of meat, and would certainly never dream of omitting the preparatory processes by which the inferior joints can be served in a tender and tasty condition.

"For to-day's cooking" is a reminder to the reliable butcher that meat should not be sent straight from the ice, nor without being properly hung. In warm weather, however, the meat is often sold in a chilled condition, and to put it in the pot or the oven without first "thawing" it is to make it tough and tasteless. Chilled meat should be covered with cold water, never warm, for at least half an hour before cooking it, and even meat that has not been chilled is made more tender by lying in cold water for about twenty minutes.

Beat to Make Tender

"Vinegar," said an expert cook, when asked to suggest a remedy for tough meat, and the housewife who once adopts the plan of vinegar, a little vinegar and water, or vinegar and salad oil, to meat before cooking it, will be highly satisfied with the result.

It is best to wash the meat as soon as it comes into the house and then bathe it with a tablespoonful, each, of vinegar and water, or preferably vinegar and salad oil, rubbing in the mixture with the back of a wooden spoon. Steak, topside of beef, or mutton that may, possibly, not be very tender, answers admirably to this softening treatment. Lamb chops are made delicious by a squeeze of lemon juice before they are cooked.

The softening and breaking up of the meat fibre is, of course, the object of the oil and vinegar treatment. The result is further achieved by beating out steak and other possibly tough meat with a rollingpin or mallet.

The juices that make meat tender must never be allowed to escape when cooking, unless the intention is to make soup. A few minutes fast cooking to harden the outside is essential, no matter whether the meat is to be roasted, boiled, or stewed. A coating of flour also helps to seal the pores, and should always be given to meat intended for pies, puddings, or stews.

If a fork is used to turn meat in cooking, it should be stuck into the fat, for, if the fibre is pierced, the juices will flow, and the meat will lose its flavour and tenderness.

H. W. S.

Then be sparing with rouge. Blend it sparsely on the highlight of the cheek-bone, smooth it downward and away from the indentations.

If you are unfortunate enough to have hollow cheeks keep it away from the hollows where it acts as a shadow, and it will counteract this natural shadow. The cheeks treated so appear fuller and the contour of the face is rounded.

FINALLY the powder.

Use a velvet puff and the powder lavishly.

Start at the lower jaw and work up the cheeks; pat it up towards the middle of the face and on to the brow. Powder the nose last. Press the powder lightly into the lines around nose, eyes, mouth and chin.

The face is thickly coated with powder. It should not be rubbed off, but brushed away lightly with the soft-bristled, curved brush this expert invented for the purpose, and which you can see sketched on this page.

Eyebrows are marked with a pencil, not in one hard line, but sketched in with light, short strokes.

Lashes are darkened with a soft eye brown or black applied with a little brush.

Lipstick is painted on with a brush, and the colour placed well inside the lips to avoid hardness.

Remember that lipstick will not adhere to wet lips. They should be dried first. Paint the upper lip round the natural shape, press it on to the lower lip and then fill in the outlines with the brush. Place a cleansing tissue between them and press the lips together to remove surplus colour. Now moisten the lips and your mouth should look perfectly symmetrical.

I wish you could have seen the finished face, fresh from the expert's ministrations, you would certainly make up your own face in future according to these rules.

## Bridge Gives You Away

"I THINK marriage is a dreadful risk," sighed a friend the other day. "If only there were some infallible method of finding out if a man will make a good husband."

"Play bridge with him!" retorted her cynical companion. "If he survives that ordeal, he will come safely through anything!"

It is a strange fact that bridge reveals all the little "kinks" in our natures that at other times we keep jealously hidden. We pride ourselves on our evenness of temper, but a foolish lead by our partner will make us snap at him or her. We boast of our patience, but let a player hesitate for a few seconds over a call or a lead and we frown and fidget like spoiled children.

I have watched a few games when I have come to the conclusion that if a fine producer could secretly take an exact record of some of the things that actually happen at presumably well conducted bridge parties he would make a fortune by showing it as a comedy!

For instance, four people arranged to begin playing bridge at nine o'clock one evening. At 10 p.m. they were still arguing about the conventions they should use and exactly what was meant if someone called "Three hearts" without a single card of that suit in his hand. By 10.30 they had completed one rubber, and then the argument broke out afresh. One of the losers maintained that if his partner had had the elementary sense to show his hearts when calling the last hand, they would have saved the game, and would have probably won the rubber in the end.

At 11.15 the party broke up, without another hand having been played, and the four friends are now engaged in a most extreme case, but it just happened that four experts at "conference bridge" came together. Usually there is never more than one "conference bridge" expert at each table, and, though he does his best to turn the game into a debate, he fizzes out in time through lack of opponents worthy of his verbal shafts.

The Unwritten Law

It would be a fitting punishment for such people to be condemned to play old-fashioned whist with old-fashioned partners who insisted on keeping to the strictest letter of the unwritten law that the game must be played in silence!

An even more irritating player—generally a woman—is the exponent

A Paying Game

Of course, everyone has met the players of bandit bridge. They are out, frankly to make an income from cards. Before play commences they are simply charming, and the deceiving waves of the hand assure good but do so enjoy an occasional rubber. With the same unerring instinct that leads a vulture to its prey, they contrive to get drawn into games with players who are slightly less skilful, than themselves, and in the most disarming way manage to win. Consequently, they regard an evening ill spent that does not bring them in at least a couple of pounds. The comic side of their performance may not be very apparent to their opponents, but it is, nevertheless, amusing to watch.

Finally, there is the win-at-all-costs player. She—this player is always a woman—will make mistakes that are always in her own favour; she will unblushingly revoke when in a tight corner, and, if challenged, make everyone else feel they are in the wrong.

Fortunately the win-at-all-costs player is a rare type, but bridge does exaggerate weaknesses. I have known men who could not behave like gentlemen at the card table although on any other occasion they were perfect. But then I have known men who could not keep their sense of proportion about pictures, music, or food!

J. V.



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# REGAINING THEIR LOST TRADE

## European Firms In Singapore Benefit From Troubles In North China

### Lawrence Wright & His Wife

#### \$5,000 GIFT SETS A PROBLEM

THE sum of \$5,000 which Mr. Lawrence Wright, famous composer and publisher of music, gave to his actress-wife, formerly Miss Betty Warren, at Monte Carlo, set a problem for Judge Sir William Cunn at Westminster County Court recently.

Mr. Wright, who gave his address as Vale-close, Maiden Vale, W., and Mrs. Wright were sued separately by Mr. John Curdock, a Wimpole-street dentist, for £27 6s. in respect of treatment to Mrs. Wright.

Mr. Wright stated in evidence that he was married in 1933 and lived with his wife until about July 1936.

He gave his wife £15 a week and on one occasion at Monte Carlo—he gave her between £1,300 and £1,500. After this she had no authority to pledge his credit.

Cross-examined, he said that about 1933 he was interested in the Prince Theatre and lost £75,000. He denied that in 1935 his income was about £20,000 a year, and said it was about £2,000 or £3,000.

He agreed that he sometimes gambled, entertained a good deal, West End restaurants, and sometimes occupied a suite at the Dorchester.

It was not as a result of a quarrel that he gave his wife the £1,500. "WON AT CASINO"

Mrs. Wright, in the witness box, said her husband did not live only on the scale of a £2,000 or £3,000 a man. The £1,500 gift he had won at the Casino.

It was ridiculous to say that the £1,500 had been given to augment her weekly allowance.

Judge Cunn said it seemed improbable that these two people should choose, Monte Carlo, of all places, to go into housekeeping problems, and he was disposed to accept the evidence of Mrs. Wright.

He gave judgment against Mr. Wright.



"Not at all, Mrs. Hill. I can't bear to see kiddies that all they need is a dose of 'California Syrup of Figs' to relieve their bowels and clear their systems. 'What a load off your mind it must be to see them so full of fun and energy again, and with such a lovely color in their cheeks. Always hungry too, aren't they? 'That's the beauty of 'California Syrup of Figs', it not only keeps the bowels regular but it tones up the digestion and creates a healthy appetite. 'California Syrup of Figs' is never harsh, never grips and never weakens, like concentrated purgatives. I always feel there's a risk in taking them, whereas 'California Syrup of Figs' being a natural laxative is absolutely safe. 'I strongly recommend you to get the children into the routine of taking a weekly dose of 'California Syrup of Figs'. It will ward off colds and infections and act as a splendid tonic for the system. Speaking from experience, 'California Syrup of Figs' is just as good for adults, especially those who are not too robust."

**"California Syrup of Figs"**  
NATURE'S OWN LAXATIVE

EUROPEAN firms in Singapore are making a big effort to regain their trade lost as the direct result of Japanese competition, according to an experienced Chinese merchant who has watched the fluctuations of the trade of the European concerns over four decades.

A local European firm has received so many orders for hardware and mild steel that it cannot promise delivery of some of the late orders until early next year.

The Chinese traders in Singapore have not started an anti-Japanese boycott, but owing to the uncertain conditions they have all ceased ordering fresh supplies from Japan. Local Japanese firms are being asked to cancel standing orders until further notice.

Building contractors who have been getting some of their supplies from Japan, are now ordering their supplies from Europe through local firms.

URGENT MEETING  
The Chinese Chamber of Commerce, Singapore, is calling an urgent meeting to which representatives of over 150 Chinese public bodies, district guilds, clubs, associations and houses are invited to discuss measures to raise funds for the relief of the war victims and refugees in China.

The Chamber will also urge the Chinese leaders of the various sections of the Chinese community to ask their clansmen to abstain from any violence or to do anything that may not be consistent to the peace and order in the Colony.

### Man Attacks Girl In Train Then Leaps To Death

A VEILED 20-years-old girl, who was addressed by the coroner as Miss "X," wept at an inquest at Southwark, S.E., recently.

Precautions were taken to prevent the girl's identity being disclosed. She was escorted into the court by policemen through a side door, and she left the same way.

The inquest was on Robert Henry Hall, an ex-soldier, aged 28, of Dacorum, Hertsmere, S.E.

Miss "X," raven-haired and attractive, who is employed in London, said that 10:30 p.m. last Friday she entered a first-class compartment of a train at Catford Bridge, S.E. She was alone.

PULLED THE CORD

As the train was moving out of New Cross Station a man stumbled into the carriage.

Her voice dropped to a whisper as she continued her evidence, and the coroner, Mr. A. Douglas Cowburn, after saying that he did not want details, asked: "He attacked you?"

Miss "X": Yes.

There was a struggle, but eventually she was able to pull the communication cord.

William J. Holmes, of Dartford, the guard, said that as the train stopped he saw a girl hanging out of a coach and screaming.

"GUARD, SAVE ME!"

He went along the line and the girl said, "Guard, save me! This man has insulted me."

Holmes continued: "I told the man to sit down and he did so for a while. I said to the girl, 'I will stay with you to London, and the train started again.'"

"Suddenly the man dealt me a blow on the jaw and clutched me by the throat, and I am certain, his intention was to throw me on to the lines."

The girl gripped the man by the collar and pulled the communication cord a second time.

"The train stopped and the man jumped out of the compartment. A second train was approaching, going in the same direction as ours, and the man was struck by this train."

I am certain he did not throw himself in front, but tried to jump clear."

Summing up Mr. Cowburn said: The girl's statements indicate she was the victim of a determined, wicked, brutal, cowardly assault. I did not go into details as I wanted to spare her.

"When Hall made a violent assault on the guard, the girl, shaken and upset as she must have been, went to the guard's assistance. I think you will agree that she showed remarkable pluck."

The jury returned a verdict of Death by Misadventure while trying to evade arrest, and commended the girl's pluck in helping the guard.



TO TEST NEW BALLOON—Dr. Jean Picard, famed stratosphere explorer, is shown with the gondola of a new type, with which he hopes to ascend to new heights soon, near Rochester, Minn. Instead of a single balloon, a cluster of about 80 small rubber balloons filled with hydrogen will be attached to the gondola. The cluster is said to have greater lifting power for their weight.

### SECOND WIFE PAYS PEER'S BILLS

ROBERT Disney Leith, Baron Cobham, of Hill-street, W., described in the London Bankruptcy Court recently how he met a rich American widow with a view to marrying her, and how he had heard she was prepared to make him a cash payment of £5,000 and advance him a further £25,000 on the security of his promissory notes.

Depreciation in the value of his freehold property, Washington Hall, Peterborough, was said to be the cause of his failure. Accounts showed total liabilities of £11,639, of which £2,639 is expected to rank against assets £23.

Replying to Mr. H. H. Gaine, Senior Assistant Official Receiver, Lord Cobham said he succeeded as 16th baron to the title on his brother's death in 1933, but he derived no financial advantage therefrom.

LIVED ON LEGACY

For ten years before December 1934 he lived on the proceeds of a legacy from a relative, and thereafter he had had a voluntary allowance by his second wife.

His troubles had arisen through his association with one, Harry Shaw, whom he met in 1934. Shaw told him he could find him a number of directorships. He heard Shaw ring up a man called Richards and say, "Willie, I have a live lord here. He might be very useful."

He did not succeed in obtaining any directorships and received no fees at all. He was willing to undertake them, although he had nothing to offer in the way of experience.

Shaw suggested that he should assist him to find a rich woman with a view to marriage. Lord Cobham added that he met a rich American widow who was contemplating a second marriage.

He was prepared to enter into a matrimonial alliance with her, but at that time his first wife was threatening proceedings, and Shaw undertook negotiations to settle them.

GENERAL SETTLEMENT

Eventually there was a general settlement under which his first wife was paid £2,500 by the second wife in consideration of which the former surrendered bills for £14,750 previously given her, and a mortgage for £3,000. The settlement cost his second wife £12,000.

Shaw produced a number of documents and asked him to sign them. He thought they were promissory notes. Lord Cobham agreed that Mr. Shaw seemed to have feathered his nest very nicely.

Lord Cobham further stated that as part of the scheme he purchased Washington Hall and 50 acres of land for £15,000, which was raised on mortgage.

Shaw as the vendor agreed to continue to occupy the property at a rental sufficient to cover the mortgage interest, but defaulted in payment of the rent, and consequently Lord Cobham was unable to pay the mortgage interest.

The examination was concluded.

### Husband On Murder Charge

Glasgow, July 16.  
SHORTLY before midnight last night Mrs. Margaret Gilmour, aged 60, of Duke-street, Dennistoun, staggered from her flat with a deep wound in her face, and collapsed.

A neighbour, John Scanlon, carried her back and found George Elrick, aged 62, of Crugmore-street, Dennistoun, lying injured on the bedroom floor.

"SHE COULD NOT SPEAK"  
Mrs. Gilmour staggered from her flat. She was wounded in the face and could not speak. I carried her back inside," Mr. Scanlon told me to-night.

"I heard moans coming from the bedroom and saw a man lying on the floor seriously injured. When I returned with two policemen he was dead."

Mrs. Gilmour, who was not seriously injured, was taken to the Glasgow Royal Infirmary.

Early to-day police chiefs, after a swift investigation, arrested James Gilmour, husband of the injured woman. He has been charged with assaulting his wife and murdering Elrick, and will appear in the Eastern Police Court, Glasgow, to-morrow.

### Ban On Business Posts For Crown Officers

NEW regulations governing the acceptance of business appointments by officers of the Crown services were issued last month in a Government memorandum arising from the report of the Royal Commission on the private manufacture of and trading in arms.

BUSINESS AFFECTED

It is not implied that there is anything improper or undesirable in officers on retirement accepting business appointments. But it is stated the Government realise there are types of cases which might lend themselves to misunderstanding, and they require assent to the acceptance of appointments within these types.

These would include businesses and other bodies which are in contractual relationship with the Government; in receipt of subsidies or their equivalent from the Government; in which the Government is a shareholder; which are in receipt from the Government of loans, guarantees or other forms of financial assistance; and with which branches of Government are as a matter of course in a special relationship; and semi-public organisations brought into being by the Government or by Parliament.

In such cases all officers of the rank of Assistant Under-Secretary of State (or Principal Assistant Secretary or, in missions abroad, Ministers), Rear-Admiral, Major-General, Air Vice-Marshal—and above—will be required to obtain the assent of the Government before accepting an offer of employment.

After the lapse of two years from the date of retirement assent will no longer be necessary.

These principles are to apply in the case of officers who in exceptional circumstances may wish to resign from the Services to take up outside occupations.

### OUR GUIDE TO THE CINEMAS

"The Guv'nor" (King's Theatre, to-day).—George Arliss has taken no more lovable or romantic role than in this picture. He discards his famous cynical tone of voice and invests the part with warmth and colour. A delightful picture in every respect, with Arliss standing supreme in a good cast.

"Top Hat" (Queen's Theatre, to-day).—The return of this great Astaire-Rogers film is bound to be warmly welcomed. "Top Hat" just about tops all of their previous pictures, which is saying a lot. The tunes are good, the dancing excellent and the fun maintained throughout.

"Motor Madness" (Alhambra Theatre, to-day).—Outboard racing is the latest theme for the cinema, and this picture has some exciting racing scenes for a background. Allen Brook, a newcomer to the screen (this being his second picture) shows untamed promise and the more experienced Rosalind Keith plays excellently to sustain the love interest.

"Trouble In Morocco" (Majestic Theatre, to-day).—"Strong Man" Jack Holt gives a very pleasing performance in this romance of rival newspaper reporters which takes the two (one a man, the other a woman) to the sandy wastes of Morocco. Flery action, smart dialogue and generally good production qualities makes this a fine film.

"Man Of The People" (Oriental Theatre, to-day).—A very moving picture of tremendous human interest. It gives Joseph Cotten his first big chance and he makes the utmost of it. Splendid supporting cast. A great picture.

The Royal Engineers' Old Comrades' Association is holding its next fortnightly whilst drive and tombola in the Garrison Lecture Hall on Wednesday, August 18, commencing at 8.30 p.m. Prices to the value of £35 will be given. Admission is 50 cents, including refreshments.

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having arrived from the above ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the Godowns of the Corporation of Godowns at Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained.

Goods not cleared by the 10th August, 1937, will be subject to rent. Damaged packages must be left in the Godowns for examination by the Consignees and the Co.'s representatives on any Tuesdays and Fridays at 2.30 p.m. within the free storage period. For the examination of damaged dutiable goods, the consignees must arrange for a Revenue Officer to be present.

All claims must be presented within ten days of the steamer's arrival here, after which date they cannot be recognized.

No claims will be admitted after the goods have left the Godowns. No fire insurance has been effected.

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.  
Hongkong, 10th August, 1937.

## NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

## SWAN, CULBERTSON & FRITZ LATEST REPORTS

New York, Aug. 10.  
S. C. & F. Dow Jones summary of today's markets: The market turned irregular on some profit-taking after a late morning rally, which was led by industrials. Oils were extremely active early in the day, but later weakened. Crude Oil production has registered a record high. There was some profit-taking in the copper, despite the rise in the export price of the metal. Some inflation buying was noted, but the sentiment, however, was nervous and buying lacked follow-through.

Bonds were mixed and irregularly lower. Curb stocks were irregular. S. C. & F. New York office cables: Stocks: The market moved narrowly in a dull session, with profit-taking apparent in some sections. News continues to be more cheerful than otherwise and prospects still seem to favour better prices. United States steel shipyards. Business failures for the week amounted to 156. Bank deposits totalled \$14,877,000,000. Cotton: The market was nervous, awaiting an announcement from Washington regarding the proposed cotton loan. The Senate Committee is reported to be drafting a loan, probably for 10 cents, with a parity payment to producers complying with the proposed control programme next year. Farmers are reported not to be favourable to the loan. There is some talk of a world crop of 35,000,000 bushels. Staple character American cotton is reported to be high and the market will probably be called upon to absorb increasing hedging.

Wheat: The strength of the Winnipeg market on the Canadian Government report of a crop condition of 35 per cent, indicating a total crop of 100,000,000 bushels, together with today's export sales of 3,000,000 bushels were reflected here. Further bullish factors were Southern Hemisphere advices of urgent need for rains and export sales of 500,000 bushels of our Winter wheat. Corn: A forecast of general rains caused liquidation and heavy sales against purchases of wheat. Rubber: Liquidation on easy cables from abroad met with poor support. There is little tendency towards aggressive action here at present.

Sugar: The market was quieter and prices were soft. There was some further September liquidation and short-covering.

### REUTER QUOTATIONS

Dow Jones Averages:	Aug. 9.	Aug. 10.
30 Industrials	180.75	180.08
20 Rails	63.28	63.00
20 Utilities	29.03	29.13
40 Bonds	101.28	101.24
11 Commodity Index	65.65	65.54

### Z.B.W. RELAYS

#### AUSTRALIA RE-TRANSMITS DAVENTRY PROGRAMMES

Because Australia has lately experienced difficulty in obtaining good reception of European short wave stations, Antipodean broadcasting stations are relying more and more on Z.B.W., Hongkong's powerful short-wave, for relays of Empire broadcasts from Daventry.

Z.B.W. is the only powerful short wave station in the Pacific to carry out consistent relays from Daventry. Practically the whole of the Corporation broadcasts from Daventry were relayed by Australian stations from Z.B.W., reception from Daventry being too poor for direct relay.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

### THE HONG KONG SOCIETY FOR THE PROTECTION OF CHILDREN.

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The Hon. Secretaries, H.K.S.P.C. c/o G.P.O. Box No. 513, Hongkong, or the Inspector, 40, Poldkum Road, 1st floor, or the Inspector, Violet Peel Health Centre, Wanchai, or the Inspector, 12, Sai Yeung Choi Street, 1st floor, Kowloon.

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No claims will be admitted after the 14th August, 1937, will be subject to rent.

All claims against the steamer must be presented to the Under-Signed on or before the 28th August, 1937, or they will not be recognized. To comply with the General Bonded Warehouse Regulations consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when damaged dutiable goods are examined.

Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 13th August, 1937, at 10 a.m., by Messrs. Goddard and Douglas.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

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Hongkong, 6th August, 1937.

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The Steamship

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No. 10 A/37

Bringing Cargo from Marseilles via ports, arrived Hongkong on Saturday, 7th August, 1937.

Consignees are hereby informed that their goods with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables are being landed and stored in the Godowns of the Hongkong Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ltd., Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing.

All claims must be sent in to me on or before 18th August, 1937, or they will not be recognized.

Damaged Packages will be examined by the Company's Surveyor Messrs. Goddard and Douglas in the presence of the Consignees at 10.00 a.m. on Friday, 13th August, 1937.

Consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when dutiable goods are examined by the Company's Surveyor.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by us in any case whatever.

JOHARD, Agent.

Hongkong, 7th August, 1937.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

The Steamship

"SI KIANG"

No. 10 AEO/37

Bringing Cargo from Dunkirk via ports, arrived Hongkong on Tuesday, 10th August, 1937.

Consignees are hereby informed that their goods with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables are being landed and stored in the Godowns of the Hongkong Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ltd., Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing.

All claims must be sent in to me on or before 21st August, 1937, or they will not be recognized.

Damaged Packages will be examined by the Company's Surveyor Messrs. Goddard and Douglas in the presence of the Consignees at 10.00 a.m. on Monday, 16th August, 1937.

Consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when dutiable goods are examined by the Company's Surveyors.

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## CORRESPONDENCE

### Coronation Souvenir Programmes

To the Editor, Hongkong Telegraph.

Sir.—I should be grateful if you would allow me through the medium of your correspondence column to inform the public that we have still a number of unsold copies of the Official Souvenir Coronation Programme. If these have to be returned to England they will be a dead loss to King George V's Jubilee Trust.

It may be that there are some members of the public who desire to possess a copy of this handsome souvenir of the Coronation. We propose to sell them post free to any address on application to the Hon. Secretary, the Boy Scouts Association, Lower Albert Road, Hongkong. N. V. HALLWARD, Colony Commissioner.

## JAPAN'S MOVE NEXT

### CHIANG OUTLINES POLICY TO PHILIPPINES MAGNATE

Manila, Aug. 10.  
Interviewed at Nanking to-day by Senor Carlos P. Romulo, publisher of the Philippines Herald, Marshal Chiang Kai-shek declared that it was Japan's move and not China's.

"At this moment," said the Marshal, "Japan may have to decide whether the Lukouchiao incident will result in a major Sino-Japanese war. Whether or not there is the slightest vestige of hope for peace between China and Japan depends on the action taken by the Japanese army."

The Generalissimo said that he did not think that the Lukouchiao incident was unprecedented, since Japan had a very definite purpose and China wanted peace, but not peace at any cost.

"She does not want peace at any cost," he said, "but she may be forced to defend herself. As a people we understand and realise our own national position. We know our weakness and have been striving for recent years to strengthen ourselves. We want to live in peace as long as we have not reached the limit of our endurance. We will not limit lightly our sacrifices but we are of the opinion that the end of human endurance and are ready to throw the last ounce of energy into the struggle for our national existence."—Reuter.

## DELEGATE RETURNS

### MR. S. W. TSO HOME AFTER ATTENDING CORONATION

Hon. Mr. S. W. Tso and his son came back to Hongkong yesterday aboard the C.P.S. liner Empress of Asia from London where they attended the Coronation celebrations, Mr. Tso being a member of the Hongkong Coronation Delegation.

He said yesterday that he intended to issue a statement concerning his impressions of the event in England; meantime he would content himself with saying that it was very fine.

The Hongkong delegate returned home via Canada and Japan, and said that during his passage through Japan he could not help but notice the large numbers of Chinese being rushed back to China by every available steamer for fear of the crisis in North China developing into war. Large numbers of Chinese joined the Empress of Asia in Japan, and the second and third class were filled with refugees returning home from business or educational visits to Japan.

## PUBLIC HEALTH

### SEVEN FURTHER CASES OF CHOLERA

Twenty-six cases of Cholera with 24 deaths (five imported), three cases of Small-pox with five deaths, three cases of Diphtheria with one death, 19 cases of Typhoid with one death, seven cases of one imported, two cases of Chicken-pox, two cases of Meningitis with two deaths, 21 cases of Dysentery with seven deaths, 94 deaths from Tuberculosis, were reported to the local health authorities during last week.

During the 24 hours ended at noon yesterday, seven cases of Cholera, one case of Measles and two cases of Dysentery were also reported.

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T.T. U.S.A.	30 1/2
T.T. Manila	60 1/2
T.T. Batavia	150 1/2
T.T. Bangkok	81 1/2
T.T. Saigon	81 1/2
T.T. France	70 1/2
T.T. Germany	123 1/2
T.T. Switzerland	123 1/2
T.T. Australia	1/6.11/32

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4 m/s. L/C London	1/3
4 m/s. D/P do.	1/3.1/32
4 m/s. L/C U.S.A.	31 1/4
4 m/s. France	8 1/2
30 d/s. India	8 1/2
U.S. Cross rate in London	4.93 1/2

## Shipping Intelligence

Shipping Companies are requested to forward, as early as possible information regarding arrivals, departures, time and mooring place and other movements. Urgent information should be telephoned to the shipping Editor, Phone 26615.

### PORT DIRECTORY

CREMER (J.C.J.L.) Kowloon Wharf. HINSHANG (J.M.), B.22. KEUNGCHAW (B. & S.), B.21. KUMSANG (J.M.), B.10. KWEYANG (B. & S.), B.10. NORVIKEN (J.M.), West Point Wharf. PROMINENT (J.M.), B.B. SUIYANG (B. & S.), B.3. TIKARANG (J.C.J.L.), A.B.

### ARRIVED YESTERDAY

(Agents Phone Numbers Given.)  
CREMER (J.C.J.L.) from Straits, daylight, Kowloon Wharf. 28015.  
EMPRESS OF ASIA (C.P.S.) from Shanghai, 11 a.m., Kowloon Wharf. 24049.

GAASTERKERK (J.C.J.L.) from Straits, 10 p.m., A.13. 30331.  
KEUNGCHOW (B. & S.) from Hoi-how, 6 a.m., B.21. 30331.  
NORVIKEN (J.M.) from Shanghai, 2 p.m., West Point Wharf. 30311.  
PROMINENT (J.M.) from Tientsin, 6 a.m., B.3. 30311.  
TIKARANG (J.M.) from Shanghai, 4.30 p.m., B.2. 30311.

### SAILED YESTERDAY

(Agents Phone Numbers Given.)  
BURDWAN (P. & O.) for Shanghai 9 a.m., Kowloon Wharf. 2721.  
CREMER (J.C.J.L.) for Swatow, p.m. midstream.

EMPRESS OF ASIA (C.P.S.) for Manila, 5 p.m., Kowloon Wharf. 24049.  
HAIYANG (Douglas) for Foochow, 3 p.m., Co's Wharf. 28037.  
HUIAN (B. & S.) for Shanghai, 3 p.m., West Point. 30331.  
JEAN LAUREN (M.M.) for Marseilles, 10 a.m., Kowloon Wharf. 26051.  
KWEYANG (B. & S.) for Hainan, 3 p.m., B.14. 30331.  
MUINAN (B. & S.) for Singapore, 3 p.m., A.11. 30331.

NORVIKEN (J.M.) for Canton, 9 p.m., West Point Wharf. 30311.  
STENTOR (B. & S.) for Shanghai, noon, Hoi-how Wharf. 30331.  
SUIYANG (B. & S.) for Canton, 10 p.m., B.3. 30331.

### ARRIVING TO-DAY

(Agents Phone Numbers Given.)  
TYNDAREUS (B. & S.) from Shanghai, daylight. 30331.

## NEW ARMY TERMS

### RECRUITS MAY EXTEND SERVICE

London, Aug. 10.  
New regulations for army service have been issued by the War Ministry by which soldiers completing their first term of service with the colours can extend service if they wish. They also allow section "A" of reservists to rejoin the colours in order that they may be eligible for pensions.

The common form of enlistment hitherto has been seven years with the colours and five in reserve and only in exceptional cases have soldiers been allowed to extend colour service in order to qualify for pension.

The War Office in making the experiment of a new enlistment form want to find out how many wish to adopt the army as a career. It also hopes that this will stimulate recruiting.—Reuter Bulletin.

## OLD PAULINES

### SCHOLARSHIP IN MEMORY OF REV. A. D. STEWART

A meeting of the Old Boys' Association was held in St. Paul's Boys' College on Monday, with Mr. Tso Huk-on in the chair. Among those present were Messrs. David Au Wai-kwok, Henry Chung U Kong and Chung Pak-cheung, Mrs. K. L. Martin and Rev. Jack A. Bonnett, the Acting Principal. The first three gentlemen were three of the first eleven students who joined the College when it was re-opened by Rev. Arthur Dudley Stewart, M.A. (Canon) in 1909, and Mrs. Martin (then Miss Stewart) was on the teaching staff from 1909 until she married Rev. E. W. L. Martin, the Principal of St. Stephen's Boys' College, Stanley, in 1920.

The first resolution passed at the meeting was to raise money to donate a scholarship in memory of Rev. A. D. Stewart, who retired from the headmastership in 1933 and now resides in England and a committee for the scholarship has been selected. The following gentlemen having been requested to serve—Messrs. David Au (Chairman), Yu Wing-chun, Chin Kwong-yan, Tso Huk-on, Ngan Shing-kan, Tso Huk-on, Ho Hin-kan, Wong Siu-pun and Dr. Ip Kam-wah. The second resolution was to establish an Old Boys Club in town within this year, and an organising committee composed of Messrs. Yu Wing-chun, Chin Kwong-yan, Tso Huk-on, Chan Po-sun, Chau Wing-mui, Wong Shiu-to and Ip Mow-sum, has been appointed.

## SAILING TO-DAY

(Agents Phone Numbers Given.)

DECAULION (B. & S.) for Europe, 4 p.m., Hoi-how Wharf. 30331.  
GAASTERKERK (J.C.J.L.) for Europe, noon, A.13. 28015.  
HAIYANG (Douglas) for Swatow, 4 p.m., Co's Wharf. 28037.  
TIKARANG (J.M.) for Canton, p.m., B.3. 30311.

## ARRIVING TO-MORROW

(Agents Phone Numbers Given.)  
GNEISENAU (Melchers) from Manila, a.m., Kowloon Wharf. 2771.  
SCHERER (Jebson) from Europe, a.m., Kowloon Wharf. 26051.  
TALMA (P. & O.) from Amoy, p.m., Kowloon Wharf. 2771.

## SAILING TO-MORROW

(Agents Phone Numbers Given.)

GNEISENAU (Melchers) from Japan, p.m., Kowloon Wharf. 2771.  
PRESIDENT TAIT (Dollar) for Japan, a.m., Kowloon Wharf. 28171.  
SCHERER (Jebson) for Tientsin, p.m., Kowloon Wharf. 26051.

## VESSELS DUE

AFRIKA (E. A. C.), Aug. 22.  
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ANTHONY (B. & S.), Aug. 13.  
BADEN (Jebson), Aug. 27.  
BINTANG (E. A. C.), Aug. 28.  
CYCLOPS (B. & S.), Aug. 30.  
DIEKE RICKMERS (Jebson), Aug. 28.  
EMPRESS OF CANADA (C.P.S.), Aug. 27.  
EMPRESS OF RUSSIA (C.P.S.), Sept. 10.

FOYERBANK (Bank), Aug. 22.  
GNEISENAU (Melchers), Aug. 12.  
KUMERLAND (Jebson), Aug. 10.  
MARON (B. & S.), Aug. 15.  
MENELAUS (B. & S.), Aug. 23.  
RIV (L. T.), Aug. 13.  
ROSEVILLE (Bank), Aug. 17.  
SAUERLAND (Jebson), Aug. 10.  
SCHERER (Jebson), Aug. 18.  
TAI SHAN (Thoresen), Aug. 18.  
TEUCER (B. & S.), Aug. 13.  
TANGORA (Dodswell), Aug. 17.  
TASMANIA (Jebson), Aug. 16.  
TIKARANG (J.C.J.L.), Aug. 22.  
TISAROEIA (J.C.J.L.), Aug. 14.  
TISAROEIA (J.C.J.L.), Aug. 14.  
VICTORIA (L. T.), Aug. 13.

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October	10.42/42
December	10.39/40
January	10.35/35
February	10.35/35
March	10.35/35
April	10.35/35
May	10.35/35
June	10.35/35
July	10.35/35
Spot	10.35/35

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October	10.42/42	1
December	10.37/42	1
January	10.41/41	1
May	10.53/53	1
July	10.56n	1
Spot	10.82	1
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## RADIO BROADCAST

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1.00 p.m. G.S.G., G.S.C.  
1.15 p.m. Big Ben, Wales and the Empire.  
1.30 p.m. G.S.G., G.S.C.  
2.10 p.m. "World Affairs."  
2.25 p.m. The News and Announcements.  
2.30 p.m. Greenwich Time Signal at 2.30 p.m.  
2.45 p.m. Victor Silvester and his Ballroom Orchestra.

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6.45 p.m. G.S.G., G.S.C.  
6.45 p.m. Big Ben, "World Affairs."  
7.00 p.m. The BBC Theatre Orchestra.  
7.15 p.m. Variety, including William Walker and Anne de Vries, "The Four Crotchets," and Harry Tate.  
8.20 p.m. The Coventry Hippodrome Orchestra.  
9.00 p.m. Students' Songs. The BBC Men's Chorus.  
9.30 p.m. The News and Announcements.  
9.35 p.m. Greenwich Time Signal at 9.35 p.m.

## Transmission 3

10.15 p.m. G.S.G., G.S.C., G.S.J.  
10.15 p.m. Big Ben, The BBC Empire Orchestra.  
11.15 p.m. Music Hall.  
12.15 a.m. The News and Announcements.  
12.20 a.m. Greenwich Time Signal at 12.20 a.m.  
12.25 a.m. Dance Music.

## STABBED IN HEART MAN ON TRIAL FOR MANSLAUGHTER

Alleged interference by the deceased and provocation on his part, in another man's affairs, led to him being struck down with a knife, and the alleged assailant, Yu Wing, a 34-year-old unemployed hawk, appeared before Mr. K. Keen at the Central Magistracy yesterday afternoon, on a charge of manslaughter of Chan Tim-tai, aged 21, unemployed, on July 5. The case was for committal to the Criminal Sessions.

Detective-inspector C. R. Rozeski, who prosecuted, said that defendant lived at No. 7 Cheung Hing Street prior to the affair, while deceased had no fixed abode, but frequented an archway in Cheung Hing Street. They knew each other well, and on July 5, a man named Fung Sang met defendant in Cheung Hing Street and asked him to repay a debt of \$1.80. Defendant said business had been bad, and he was not able to raise the money, but could get some utensils which he would give to Fung as payment in lieu of the money. Fung then left him.

Deceased was then alleged to have remarked that defendant should give Fung his money back, and defendant, in answer, told deceased to mind his own business. A quarrel ensued between them, in the course of which deceased was alleged to have struck defendant twice with his fist. Defendant was then seen to pull something out of his pocket, strike deceased a blow with it, and then run along Hollywood Road down to Tung Street. Deceased ran after him, and the chase continued down Morrison Street, where Indian constable B358 stopped defendant near the fruit market. In defendant's hand he found a pocket knife.

The constable took defendant back to the junction of Morrison Street and Bonham Strand East, where

deceased was sitting down by the side channel. In defendant's presence, deceased accused him of striking him, and this was denied by the constable. Shortly afterwards, deceased succumbed to his injury, which was found to be a stab wound in the heart. Defendant was brought back to Central Police Station, and in a statement which he made in answer to the charge, said: "He knocked against my life and injured himself: I was cutting my nails."

Dr. R. S. Begbie was called to give medical evidence, and he described the wound in deceased's chest, which he said could have been caused by either of the blades of the penknife produced in Court.

After Mr. C. Douglas, land surveyor of the Public Works Department, had produced plans of the streets of the locality in which the affair took place, Chan Tim-tai, aged 19, younger brother of deceased, said he last saw his brother alive four or five days before the latter's death. Deceased then visited him at the cobblers' shop where he was working in Bridges Street. Witness did not know defendant.

**Eyewitness Called**  
A 16-year-old boy, Lee Kau, said he was standing near the archway about 11 a.m. on July 5. It was raining heavily at the time. A man went up to accused, whom witness knew as Ah Tau, and asked him for \$1.80. Accused promised to give the man some utensils instead, and the man went away. Deceased, who was lying on a camp-bed nearby, made certain remarks, which witness did not hear, and a quarrel ensued between him and accused.

Deceased then struck accused a heavy blow, continued Lee, and accused tried to strike back, but missed. Deceased gave accused another blow, and witness then saw defendant take something out of his pocket and strike deceased with it. Accused ran away, and deceased chased him, pulling up his singlet and looking at his chest before doing so. Witness could not see any mark on deceased's chest. Later, he saw the two men in Morrison Street,

## THE BRITISH QUEEN WHO WAS SUED FOR DIVORCE

(Continued from Page 6.)

General Nicholson captured the frontier tribesmen's imagination. He would ride alone straight into the village of a notorious bandit, cut his head off, and have it placed by his side on public occasions for every one to see.

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where deceased had collapsed, and then saw blood on his chest.

Asked if he had any questions to put to witness, defendant alleged that Lee knew him, and that they had lived in the same street for over five years. He said the boy must have known him or he would not have known his nickname, "Ah Tau."

Lee said defendant might know him, but he did not know the man. He knew his nickname through seeing it in a Chinese newspaper on July 6, when the report of the incident appeared.

Defendant then alleged that the boy bore him a grudge, but this Lee denied.

A 60-year-old widow, Chan Yui, said she saw deceased and accused quarrelling, and saw one chasing the



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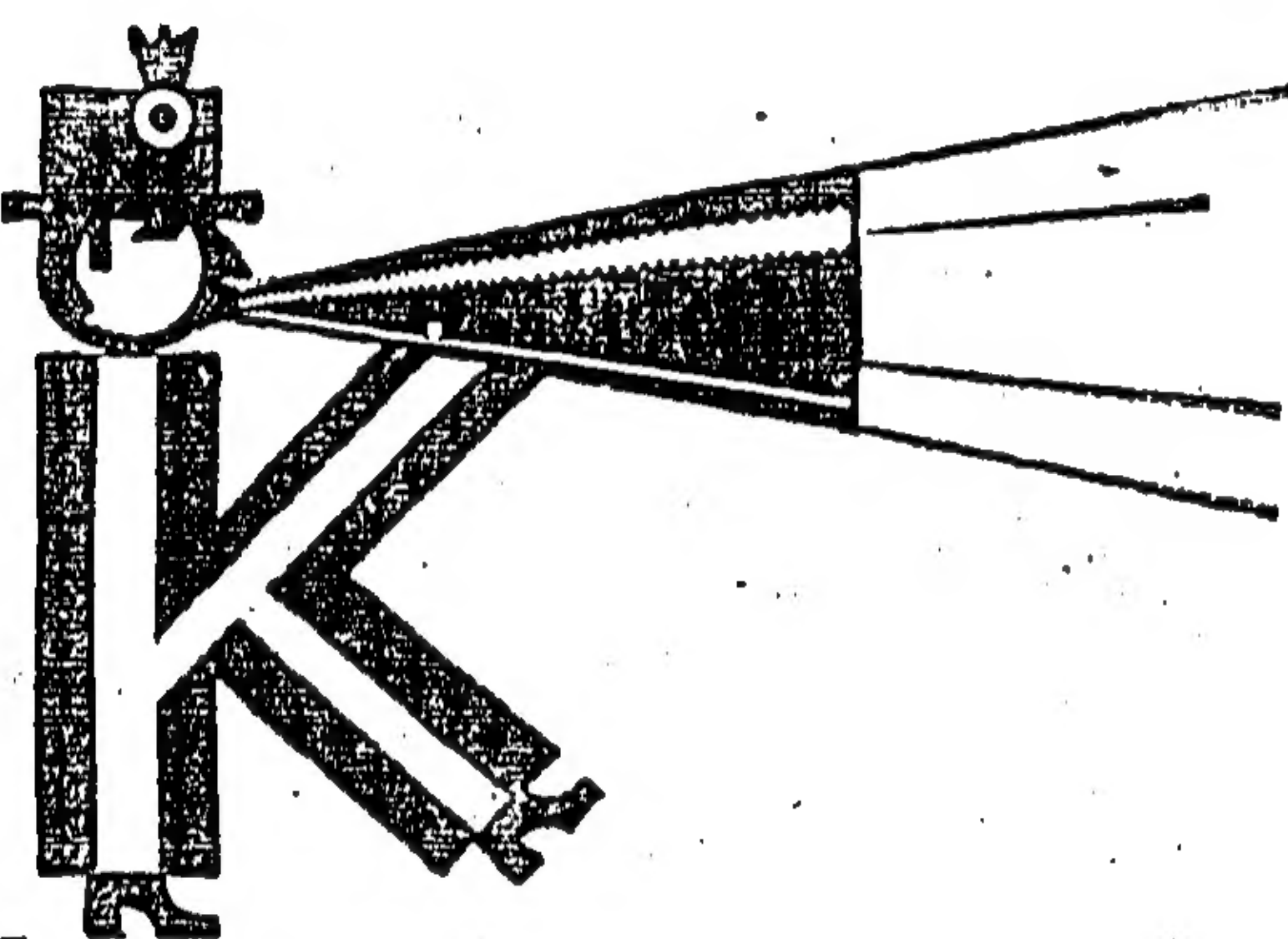
Indian constable Ujagar Singh gave evidence of arrest; and formal evidence by Inspector Rozeski and Tang Pak-hi, police interpreter.

Defendant elected to give evidence, and said that he met Fung sometime ago, when Fung offered to lend him money to start hawking. On May 31, Fung handed defendant \$1.80 to commence his business, but defendant said this was not enough to buy utensils, and Fung told him he could borrow utensils from other friends.

Defendant commenced business on June 1, and carried on until July 2, when he stopped, as it had rained quite a lot in the intervening period and he had not made any profit.

At this stage, the hearing was adjourned until 12.15 p.m. to-day.

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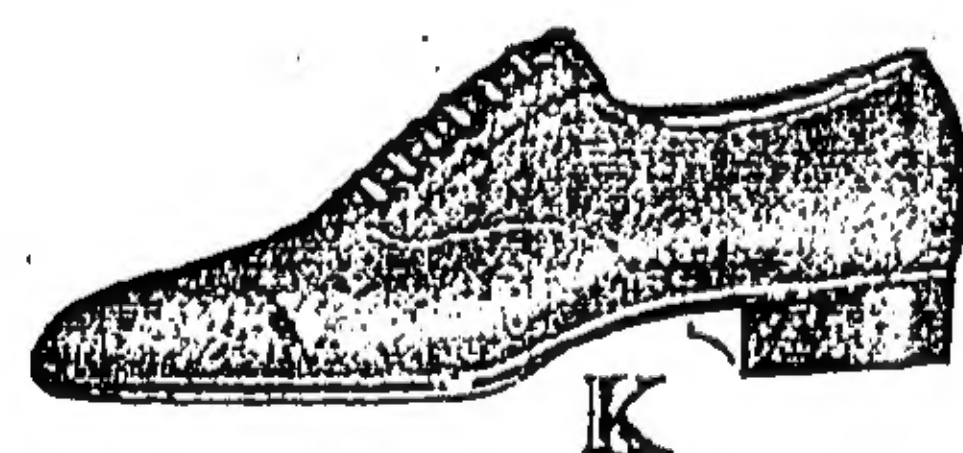
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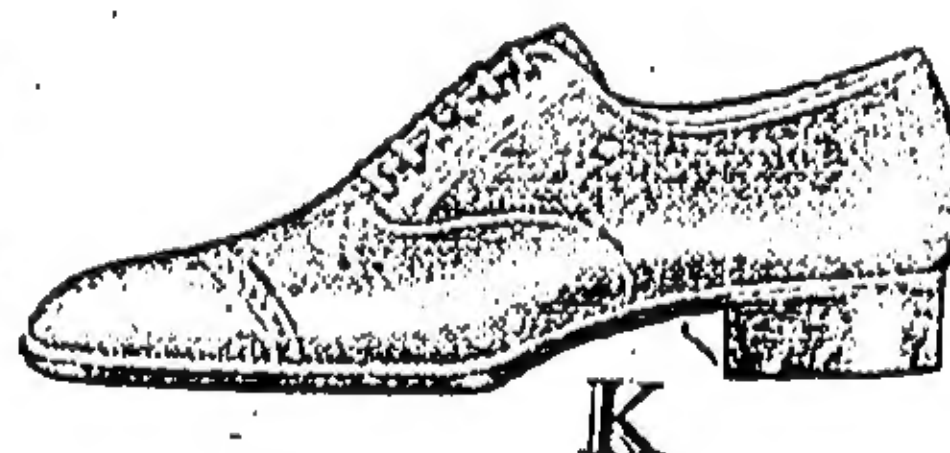
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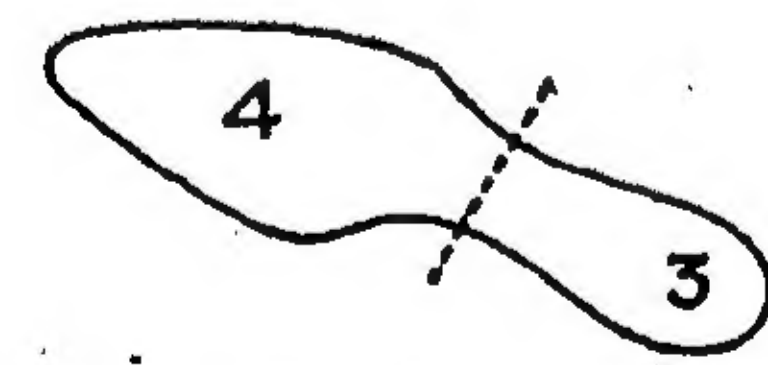
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25567—I Hum A Waltz. Waltz. Xavier Cugat's Orchestra.  
Hold Me Tight. Waltz.  
25569—Let's Call The Whole Thing Off. F.T. Eddy Duchin's Orchestra.  
Without Your Love. F.T.  
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### DEATH

SULLIVAN.—At his residence, 13, Dragon Terrace, Causeway Bay, on August 10, 1937, Charles Des Voeux Sullivan, aged 57, late of the Tai Koo Sugar Refinery. The cortege will pass the Monument at 5.15 p.m. to-morrow.

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WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 11, 1937.

### WAR PORTENTS

Prospects of a pacific adjustment of the Sino-Japanese quarrel appear to be definitely receding. The news of the past few days suggests that Japan is in a mood to settle the dispute by force rather than through diplomatic channels. Her withdrawal from Hankow, and the Yangtze Valley generally, strengthens this belief rather than otherwise. This step has been represented by Japanese official circles as indicative of a desire to respect China's territorial integrity. The more reasonable explanation is that it is a strategic move, determined, first, by fear of possible isolation in case real war breaks out; secondly, by the knowledge that Chiang Kai-shek's best troops are stationed in Central China; and, lastly, by a recognition of the danger of clashing with foreign interests. The evacuation of Japanese nationals from South China areas need not be taken as presaging any aggression by Japan in these parts; it is more likely to have been dictated by a realisation of the jeopardy in which these isolated communities might be placed in the event of war. Here, again, the developments suggest that Japan expects hostilities very shortly. The failure of Mr. Kawagoe to proceed to Nanking, together with the evacuation of the families of Chinese officials in the capital, also tends to confirm the view that big-scale fighting may soon occur. Viewing Japan's action as a whole, the impression gained is that she is prepared to contest the issue to the point of going to war, but that she plans, if possible, to confine hostilities to North China, where she is bent on retaining the hold she has already secured. Any attempt to subjugate China as a whole would be the height of folly; Japan's military leaders must be fully conscious of that point. Moreover, there is danger in attempting operations over large, scattered areas; hence the desire to confine hostilities to North China. The full intentions of the Nanking Government have yet to be disclosed, but everything points to a policy of armed resistance against any fresh aggression on

# CAN FRANCE HOLD THE FRANC?

asks  
**HARTLEY  
WITHERS**

the authority on international finance and author of "Money in the Melting Pot."

"WHAT is the meaning of all this trouble about the franc? And where is it going to end?" These are the questions to which thousands of people are wanting answers, people to whom these problems of exchange, once left to bankers and economists, are in these times an almost daily nuisance.

Simplifying the matter as much as possible, it may be said that France is now suffering from just the same difficulties as those which we faced in 1931 and managed to solve, partly by the great effort that we made to put our finances straight, partly by being forced to abandon the

which did not command the confidence of the business classes. Everybody knows what mistrust of a Government means; but this talk about over-valued currency and devaluation is still a puzzle to many and needs explanation.

Until September last, when the last devaluation of the franc was carried out, the French exchange ruled at about 75 francs to the pound, which meant to say that anyone who bought French goods, either by importing them or by going to France and spending money there, got 75 francs worth of goods for every pound spent.

But devaluation can restore the selling power of a people only if the price-level is kept fairly steady. This was the point in which we were so lucky when we devalued in 1931—the tendency of world prices was then downward, and so our internal price-level moved only to a slight extent and those who bought from us got the full advantage of receiving more pounds for their money.

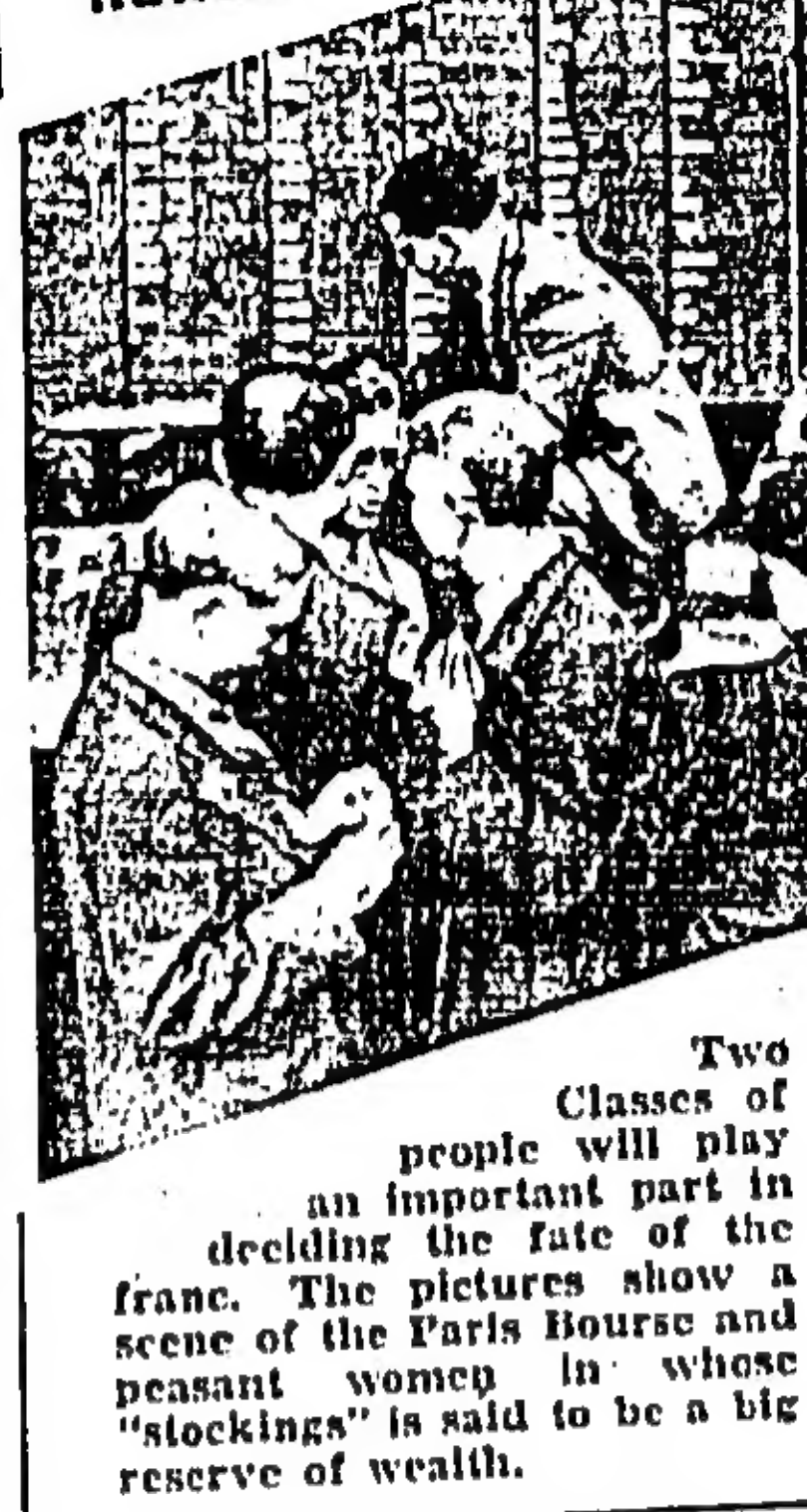
### Rising Prices

AS we all know, prices have been moving up since the autumn of last year, and especially in France, owing to well-meant measures by which the Government there has been trying to raise the standard of life of the working population.

When prices rise in a country by as much as the currency is devalued in exchange with the moneys of other nations, devaluation, instead of being a stimulus to trade and business, becomes a source of uncertainty and mistrust, because it makes people think that it may have to be done again; and so they send money abroad, as Frenchmen have been doing so persistently, and since there is little demand for francs on the part of foreigners, there is a drain on the country's stock of gold—which increases the mistrust.

A still more important difference between France's position and England's when we faced our devaluation problem, was the fact that we had a Government which was supported by the great majority of those who organise and direct our industrial and business activities, and also of those who

**Fate of the Franc  
is in their  
hands**



Two classes of people will play an important part in deciding the fate of the franc. The pictures show a scene of the Paris Bourse and peasant women in whose "stockings" is said to be a big reserve of wealth.

own, or control the investment of, the public's money.

Also, this Government had come into power pledged to balance the Budget and had, before our devaluation happened, by measures of retrenchment and increases in taxation which had been loyally accepted by the nation as a whole, given practical evidence of its determination to do so. Government and people were at one in their determination to impose and support any sacrifices that might be needed to put things right.

In France it has been most lamentably otherwise. The Government, instead of trying to win the confidence of those who control the industry and financial resources of the country and so induce them to bring home the immense sums that they had placed abroad in search of safety, tried to deal with them with rough-handed methods, imposing on industry conditions which made profit-earning out of the question; threatening those who did not bring their money home with penalties; and otherwise en-

couraging rather than checking the desire of property owners to look for safety abroad.

### Not Desperate

AND at the same time the extremist supporters of the Popular Front thought, apparently, that devaluation gave them a splendid opportunity for securing improvements in the pay and conditions of the workers—an excellent object to work for, at the right time.

Such a sequel to devaluation could have only one result—the necessity for another, as has just been proved; and now the devaluation problem has to be faced all over again, and the cause that led to this fresh crisis have to be dealt with—more effectively this time. But the position of France, though difficult and dangerous, is far from desperate.

She has been promised the support of America and of Great Britain, and this support, in the present state of world politics, we may be sure she can rely on receiving in full measure. It is a question of getting this great rich and eminently sensible people to see that a chaotic financial position, and measures that frighten the owners of capital, can but lead to disaster.

### The Remedies

THE position can be put right only by the old-fashioned remedies of a balanced Budget, equitably imposed taxation promptly and readily paid, and a united effort by all parties to get their problem solved and the financial and industrial prestige of France restored, so that the great mass of French money that has sought refuge abroad may be brought home by its owners.

These remedies may seem easier to prescribe than to swallow, and French habits and traditions may make them less simple to apply in her case than in ours; but on the other hand, the danger that France faces if she lets matters drift are so menacing that her statesmen should have little difficulty in persuading her people to make the necessary sacrifices.

All well-wishers of France and of the cause of freedom will hope earnestly for their success.

People Who Make This Week Interesting

## The British Queen Who Was Sued For Divorce

By C. A. LYON

THE Queen of Great Britain sued by the King for divorce, the intimate details of her private life paraded in public—it seems incredible. Yet it happened only last century to Queen Caroline, who died, broken-hearted, this week in 1821. It was probably the most sensational case in British history. Revolutions threatened. A gunboat protected witnesses. The King—George IV.—spent thousands of pounds on spies who collected his evidence against the Queen, who was then over forty.

Indiscreet, eccentric Caroline was excluded from Court by a husband who hated her so much that when a courier, announcing Napoleon's death, said, "Sire, your Majesty's greatest enemy is dead," George replied, "Is she, by God!"

So Caroline wandered all over the Continent with a handsome Italian servant, Bartolomeo Bergami. He had been a courier. She had had him made a knight and a baron. The King had them watched. A special commission, comprising a colonel, a K.C., and a solicitor, trailed her and spent £20,000 on their travels.

Then in 1820 the Queen was brought to book before the House of Lords.

As the Queen came down to Westminster by water the banks were the part of Japan. It is difficult to see what other policy is possible at this juncture. To give in now would be merely to invite further inroads on her sovereignty in the days to come.

crowded by cheering people, who believed her innocent. The ships were decorated with bunting. Every night she bowed to the crowds from her windows. The Crown witnesses were nearly lynched.

### Her Gipsy Hat

Her Majesty came to the House of Lords dressed in a gipsy hat with a large bow and ostrich feathers. Her eyebrows were painted and she wore a black wig.

The lords bowed as she took a seat beside her counsel.

As soon as the first witness appeared the Queen screamed "Traitor!" and rushed from the Chamber like a fury.

Then followed evidence that kept Europe in a frenzy for weeks.

Stories of the Queen living in a tent in the Holy Land—in which Bergami was seen—in his shirt-sleeves. How they fed each other steaks. How they fed each other with tender morsels in panties. The servant feeding the Queen with a spoon.

How Bergami had been seen to assist the Queen in the bath and had called for more hot water. They were seen kissing. The Queen really sat on his bed with her arm round his neck. The landlord of an hotel at Trieste told what he had seen through the keyhole. The Queen addressing Bergami as "My heart," and presenting him with a picture of herself during kissing by servants.

The great Brougham's speech for the Queen's defence was sublime. A peer rushed from the House in tears.

At last it was feared by the Cabinet that if the Queen were found guilty a revolution would follow. Two and a half months after it started it was announced that the proceedings would stop.

The scenes that followed have only since been equalled on Armistice night 1918. Every town in the country was lit up for three days.

Every carriage in London was taken to spread the glad news in the home counties.

When George said he would not have the Queen in any royal palace a subscription was started to build her a new one.

Caroline was not to live long. George's coronation ceremony followed soon after.

That coronation was the biggest in history, costing £250,000, including £24,000 for the King's own robes, which flunkies had exhibited to him like mannequins for days before.

Nothing was lacking except the Queen, who was pressing through the crowd outside to try to gain admission, but was refused by orders of the King.

When she died of a broken heart soon afterwards the King even tried to stop her corpse coming through London, and there was a riot involving two deaths round the royal funeral procession between the military and sympathetic crowds.

### Birth Of Chicago

THIS week in 1837 Chicago became a town. It was a cluster of fourteen houses, an American frontier post.

Its name was She-Kag-On, "the place where the wild onions grow."

Its taxes were producing £10 a year, so the local inhabitants thought the time for civic dignities had come.

Ten years later it passed a by-law forbidding hogs to roam the streets. The population to-day is 3,350,000.

### Wife Of Two Men

A STRANGE story survives the death on August 11, 1755, of Lord Dalmeny, son of Lord Rosebery.

He married a woman whom he met in London. They lived happily together. During a tour of the Continent she was taken ill. She called for paper, and wrote: "I am the wife of the Rev. Mr. Gough, rector of Thorpe, in Essex, and my last request is to be buried at Thorpe." Then she died.

Lord Dalmeny was horrified. To avoid scandal he took a false name; and tried to smuggle the body into the country at Colchester. But the coffin was opened by a Customs officer who thought he was going to detect a haul of contraband.

Lord Dalmeny was now under the gravest suspicion and he had to reveal the whole story.

The real husband was summoned. There was a dramatic meeting. They united to honour the memory of the woman who had deceived them both. Lord Dalmeny had a splendid coffin made for her and he and the parson followed it to the grave.

### General Nikkul-Seyn

THIS week in 1857 Britain was in the throes of the Indian Mutiny.

Among those killed later was the extraordinary General John Nicholson, the Englishman who became a god.

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## OGPU GAOL LONDON WOMAN AS SPY

## Pay Visit To Hotel Bedroom In Early Morning Hours

**DARK-EYED**, beautiful Eva Lowenbury, one of the London-born variety artists the Linde Sisters, lies in a Soviet gaol where she was taken without explanation three months ago.

She and her sister, Ivy Linden (Linde is the sisters' stage name), were ordered out of bed by OGPU agents, who entered their room with a skeleton key in the Astoria Hotel, Leningrad, at 1.30 a.m. on April 24.

They were ordered not to speak to each other. While they changed from their nightgowns their luggage was searched, and papers confiscated. Four hours later Eva Lowenbury was marched away. Her sister was not told where she was taken or why.

Ivy Linden, dark like her sister, said to a London reporter at her home in Mount Pleasant Lane, Clapton, E., "I have since heard from Leningrad that my sister is charged with espionage and terrorism."

"It is ridiculous. We were in Russia four months doing our act. All the time we were together. Wherever she went I went."

"The Foreign Office say they can do nothing. Eva married a German band leader and singer Reinhard Lowenbury twelve years ago."

## MARRIED RUSSIAN

"He has been living in Leningrad for two years. Last September Eva received letters from a woman called Zina in Leningrad. She said she was living with Eva's husband. In the letters were mutilated photographs of Eva."

"She went to Leningrad at once, but found her husband and the woman were two days' journey away, and she had to fly back to England to keep an engagement."

"We went out to Russia together in December to fulfil a contract there."

"In March she divorced her husband, and on April 14 she married a young interpreter called Sabarovsky."

"We went to Leningrad to catch the boat home on April 23. We missed it, because the Russians kept our passports."

"That night we went to bed as usual. My sister was asleep, and I was dozing when two men and the woman assistant manager of the hotel walked in without even knocking."

## LETTERS SEIZED

"Whenever we tried to speak we were silenced. They opened all our trunks, took our letters and diaries, and then had an hour's phone talk with somebody."

"They took my sister away about five in the morning. Nobody knows where she is now—poor Eva."

"I couldn't find out anything, except that somebody told me Lowenbury and the woman Zina had been arrested in another hotel."

She added: "It is all so absurd. Eva has always sympathized with the Russians."

Running about the Clapton home is ten-year-old Sonia Lowenbury. She has not yet been told that her mother is in prison.

## Forty-Six Boots Mark His Trail

Jock Scott, of Woking, failing to land a job in London, thought he'd walk off his disappointment.

He's just back from the walk. It began in 1933 and was 15,000 miles long.

Twenty-three pairs of boots, cast into the gutter as their service ceased, mark Jock's trail to Cape-town.

Just to make the walk more than a whim he took with him a letter from Sir Ian Hamilton to the Cape-town Highlanders.

The answer came back with him to Southampton recently.

His worst time?—When he took a 1,000-mile wrong turning.

The Abyssinian War stopped his trek south at Wadi Halfa. He had to make a detour.

His most exciting moment?—When he lost his false teeth in the Libyan Desert.

An Arab policeman, who saw him hunting around, gave chase. He thought Jock was a spy.



**IRISH HOME FROM SPAIN**—At right is General Owen O'Duffy, commander of the Irish Brigade that recently returned to Dublin, after seven months' service with General Franco's insurgent forces in Spain. With him is Major O'Sullivan, second in command of the brigade. The Irish soldiers charged they were poorly led and lacked sufficient supplies.

## BANKRUPT, ARRESTED AFTER 4 YEARS, FREED

(By H. L. McNally)

**HUGH PATRICK FAY**, a giant Irishman, 6ft. 4in. tall, towered over counsel in the witness-box of the Bankruptcy Court, London recently as he told how he had been deported from Canada, arrested in Liverpool, and kept in Brixton Prison since June 19 last.

His public examination revealed that he had been made bankrupt in July 1933, with liabilities of £2,889 and no assets. During the court luncheon interval Fay remained in custody, but afterwards he was released.

"Sure I'm off out of this as fast as my legs can carry me," he told me afterwards. "I'm off to Dublin to-night."

"It's a change of clothes I'm wanting," he explained, "and then a good meal. Then it's Ireland and afterwards South Africa. All fixed up. I have a fine job gold mining out there, and I'll be all right."

"I'll be making lots more in no time. South Africa and gold mines are the place for me."

"I'm one of the Fays of Dublin, you know, the acting family. What money I lost is lost, and that's all there is to it."

"Ah, don't talk to me about my inventions. Maybe they're worth a lot and maybe they're not."

Fay's figure dwarfed the passing policeman as he hurried away to wash and change and prepare for his trip to the old country.

## SAVINGS LOST

His Irish temper flared once or twice while he was in court. His wavy white hair became ruffled and he appealed directly to "my lordship," as he called the registrar.

He described his work as an engineer in Canada, and displayed his passport to show that he had been deported for entering the country illegally. He said he had lost most of his savings of £22,000 in a bank failure in the United States.

Mr. L. A. West, senior official receiver, asked: Were you, in July 1926, convicted at Los Angeles, California, for conspiracy and grand larceny?

## HIS INVENTIONS

I think you were sentenced to a term of imprisonment and actually served 18 months there?—Yes.

Were you deported from Canada to Ireland?—Yes.

He arranged for the formation of a company to exploit inventions of his for making gramophone records, but the company failed.

The examination was closed.

## Car Plunges Into River: Girl Dead

Laughing gaily, a party of motorists pulled up by the River Trent at Gunthorpe, near Nottingham, last month.

Suddenly their laughter turned to horror as one car shot forward and plunged into the water, 12ft. deep.

In the car were:

Mrs. Mary Bradbury, of Devon Drive, Sherwood, Nottingham.

Mrs. Sally Deakin, of Sycamore-road, Nottingham, and

Miss Doreen Deakin, her daughter.

Hearing shrieks, two young men in the Unicorn Hotel rushed out, pulling off their clothing as they ran.

First into the river was Mr. Paulson, who saw the head and shoulders of one woman emerging from the sliding roof. He helped her out.

Mrs. and Miss Deakin were brought round, but efforts to revive Mary Bradbury failed.

Then, with a companion, he got the other two women out.

Mrs. and Miss Deakin were taken by ambulance to hospital.

## Postman is Taking Steps

BY A SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT

THE postman is in revolt against stair-climbing. With the ever-increasing tendency in larger towns to build new blocks of flats and tenements as slums are cleared the problem has become a first-class issue in the Post Office.

He has now asked the department that where his "walks" involve excessive stair-climbing his load should be reduced below the present figure of 35lb., and that the duration of his athletic effort should not exceed three hours per day.

His official working hours, he complains, are the same whether in flat or on the flat. Instead of his "walks"—this is the official description—being on the level, as previously, he is now for ever "going up and up and up."

## COUNTING HIS STEPS

His way is skyward. Some areas are now composed of nothing but tenement buildings and flats.

The postman has taken to counting—as well as watching—his steps. One man says that every morning he is faced with the ordeal of climbing 1,449 steps—nearly as high as the

## HEALTH INQUIRY

Dr. H. B. W. Morgan, advisory medical officer of the Postal Workers' Union, in collaboration with Dr. G. P. Crowden of the London School of Hygiene, is conducting a medical investigation, to last more than a year, into the effect on health of stair-climbing.

A London borough engineer has reported that to climb four flights of stairs of 64 steps a 10st. man expends sufficient energy to raise 2 tons of weight to a height on one foot.

The Post Office has no remedy to offer to meet the new conditions brought about by social and housing changes which it is powerless to alter. It may have to recruit a more athletic type of postman for stair-climbing.

At any rate, the restriction on the open-necked shirt is expected to be abolished.



**GUN FIGHT**—This unusual picture was taken during the gun and club fight at the Aluminium Company's plant at Alcoa, Tenn.

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"Falstaff" Act 2; Sul Fil D'un Sento Elcso; Totti Dal Monte (Soprano) and Members of the La Scala Orchestra, Milan; "Otello" Acts 3 and 4; Didi Mi Potevi Scagliar; Nini Mi Tena—(Death of Otello); Renato Zanelli (Tenor) and Members of the La Scala Orchestra, Milan; "Otello" Act 3; Ave Maria, Piena Di Grazia; Canzone Del Salce; Elisabeth Rethberg; (Soprano); "Rigoletto" Act 1; Part Siano! "Un Ballo In Maschera" Act 3; Eri Tu Che Macchiavi Quell' Anima; Giovanni Inghileri (Bari-tone) and Members of La Scala Orchestra, Milan.

1.00 Local: Time signal and Weather report.

"Casse Noisette"—Tschalkowsky; Overture Miniature; Marche; (a) Danse De La Fee Dragee (b) Danse Des Mirlitons; (a) Danse Chinoise (b) Danse Russe; Trepak; Valse Des Fleurs; Danse Arabe; The B.B.C. Wireless Symphony Orchestra Cond. by Percy Pitt.

1.30 Reuter Press; Rugby Press; Local: Weather forecast and Announcements.

1.40 Paul Robeson (Bass). Song Of Freedom (From film Song of Freedom); Lonely Road (From film Song of Freedom); The Black Emperor (From film Song of Freedom).

1.50 Variety and Dance Music. Did You Mean It? Have You Forgotten So Soon? Greta Keller with Fred Hartley and his Quintet; Fox Trot—Your Heart and Mine; Fox Trot—Keep A Fiddle In Your Eye (From Lew Leslie's Blackbirds of 1930); Jack Harris and His Orchestra; Two Heads Against The Moon; When April Comes Again (From Hollywood Revels of 1936); Cliff Connolly (Tenor), with Piano Accompaniment; Rumba—Spanish Jake; Waltz—A Gift From Heaven; Harry Roy and His Orchestra.

2.15 Close Down.  
4-7 p.m. Chinese Programme.  
7-11 p.m. European Programme.  
7.00 Variety.

I'll Walk Beside You (Lockton-Murray); The Valley Where Wishes Come True (Eatherley-Elliott); Walter Glynce (Tenor); Charlie Kunz Piano Medley No. D. 3; Intro: Across the great divide; The night is young and you're so beautiful; Boo-hoo; The Coronation Waltz; I'm still in love with you; Delyse; Charlie Kunz (Piano Solo); Confessions Of A Chippy Chippy; Max Miller (Comedian); Forewell To Dreams; Will You Remember? (From the film "Maytime"); Jeanette MacDonald (Soprano) and Nelson Eddy (Bari-tone); Gipsy Caprice (Ferraris); Wanderlust—Waltz (Smith); Alfredo and His Orchestra.

7.30 Closing local Stock Quotations and Hongkong Exchange Market Report.

7.35 Light Orchestral Music. Because (d'Hardelot); A Little Love, A Little Kiss (Silesu). Albert Sandler and His Orchestra; The Knave Of Diamonds (Sielec); Love In Idleness—Serenata (MacBeth); Alfredo Campoli and His Salsa Orchestra; Gipsy Moon (Borganoff); Albert Sandler and His Orchestra; Immortal Strauss (A Medley of Strauss Waltzes); Part 1—Voices of Spring; Tales from Vienna Woods; Thousand and One Nights; Roses from the South; Fledermaus; Part 2—Sphered Klänge; Voices of Spring; Emperor Waltz; Wiener Blut; Viennese Waltz Orchestra.

8.00 London relay—Variety. Including William Walker and Anne de Nys, "The Four Crochets" and Harry Tate. Production by P. H. C. Pittard.

8.30 Studio—Ruth Litvin at the Piano. Scarlatti; Capriccio No. 15 A Major; F. Minor No. 10; Pastorale S. Minor No. 5; Glig; Birdling Op. 43 No. 4; Nocturne Op. 64 No. 4; Lullaby Op. 38; Chopin: Prelude Op. 28 No. 21 B flat Major; Waltz Op. 64 No. 2 C sharp Minor.

8.50 Songs by Turner Layton. I Want The Whole World To Love You (Bryan and Marks); When The Poppies Bloom Again (Towers, Morrow and Peles); Miracles Sometimes Happen (Noble and Murray).

9.00 London relay—Students' Songs. The B.B.C. Men's Chorus, conducted by Trevor Harvey; George Pizzey (Bass). At the pianoforte, Ernest Lush; Ten Thousand Miles Away. Ben Backstay. A-Rovng; Juanita. Down Among the Dead Men. Come, Lord! Fill the Flowing Bowl. Riding down from Bangor. Over the Sea to Skye. John Peel. Cade Robin.

9.30 Relay London—News and Announcements.

9.55 Mozart Concerto in A Major. Played by Rubinstein and The London Symphony Orchestra Conducted by John Barbirolli.

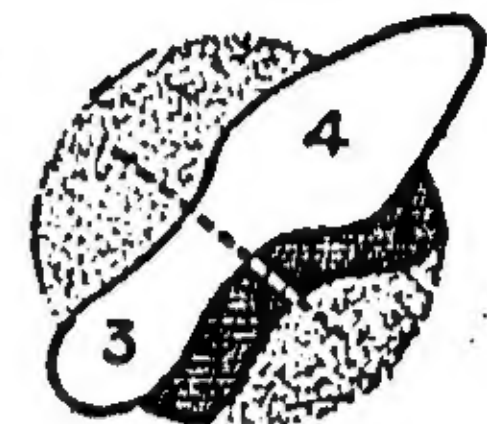
10.20 Glig (Tenor). Non Ti Scordar Di Me (Furno-de Curtia); Mille Cherubini In Goro (Senatra—Schubert—Mellchar); Serenata Veneziana (Zulberti—Mellchar); (Songs from London Film Production "Lullaby").

10.30 Dance Music. Fox Trot—Everybody Dance; Fox Trot—When The Poppies Bloom Again; Jack Payne and His Band; Fox Trot—Goody-Goody; Fox Trot—It's Been So Long; Benny Goodman and His Orchestra; Vocal. ref. by (Continued on Page 5.)

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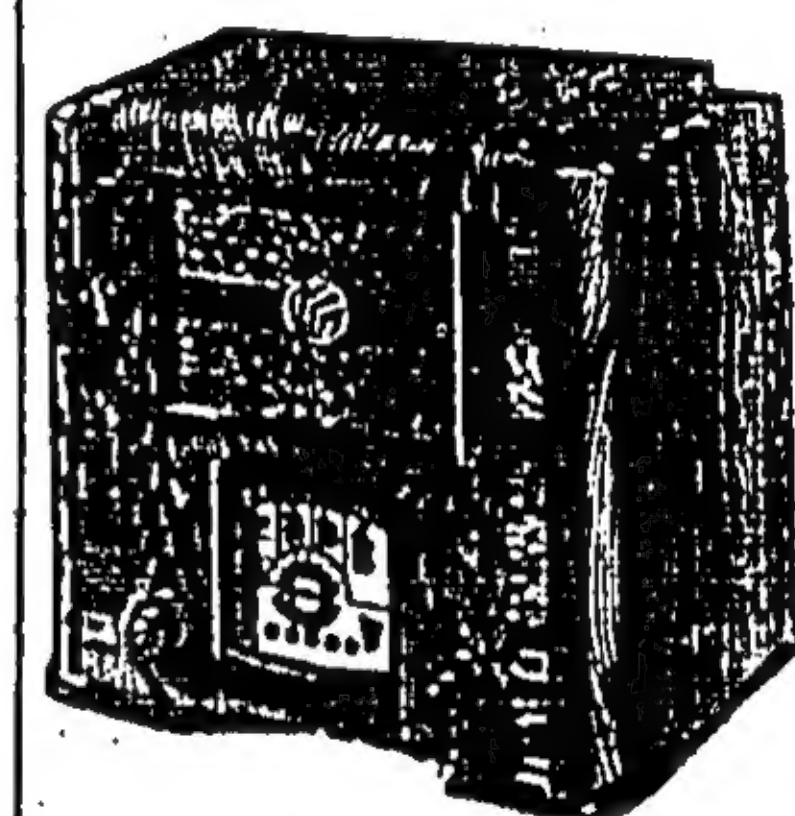
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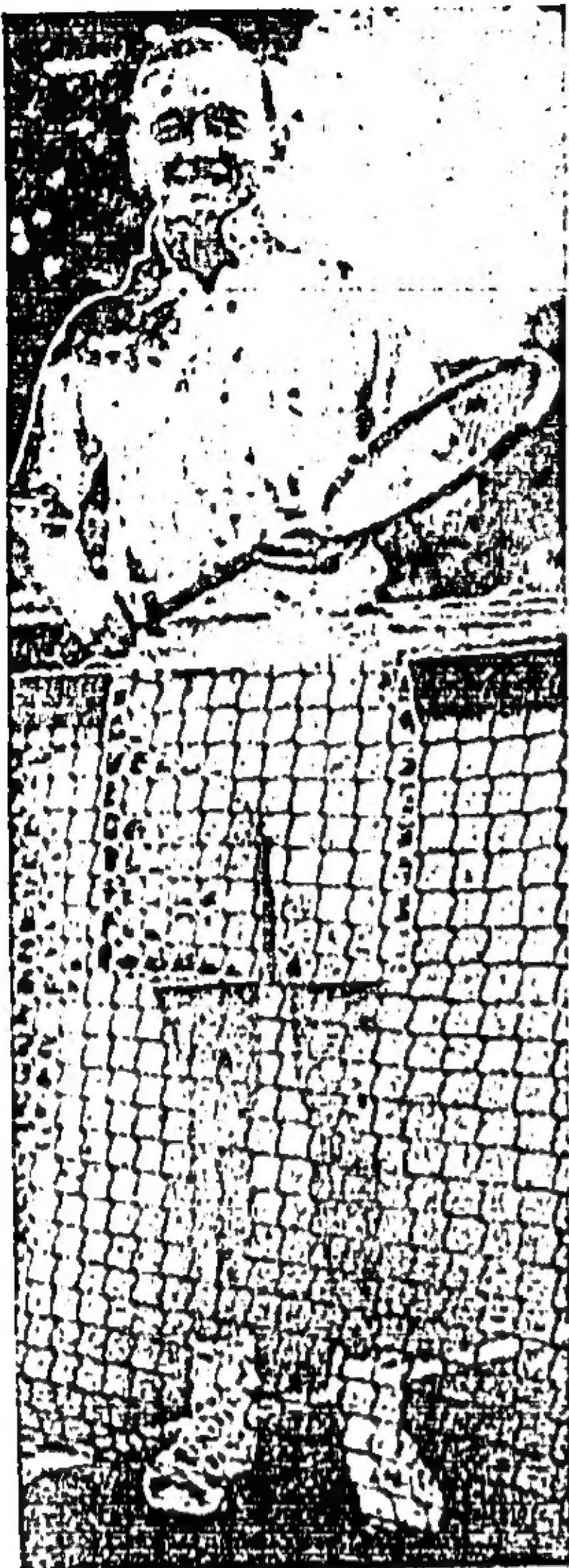
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# BUDGE AND MAKO MAY PLAY HERE IN DECEMBER

## Expected To Be Nominated To Represent America In Japanese Championships And In Australia



HARRY HOPMAN

### HOPMAN AND SCHWARTZ TO PLAY TWICE IN HONGKONG

(By "Veritas")

Following the announcement that a squad of German tennis players is to visit Hongkong in the late Autumn, comes the tidings that Donald Budge, world's amateur tennis champion, and his United States compatriot Gene Mako, are almost certain to come to Hongkong and play here before the end of the year.

What is more Harry Hopman, former Australian Davis Cupper, and the young Australian "hope", L. Schwartz, will play in Hongkong during November and again when they return from Japan.

This interesting information I have received by air mail from Mr. Norman Stockton, member of the Telegraph staff, who is now on holiday in Australia.

Mr. Stockton interviewed Hopman in Melbourne recently and elicited the above news from the tennis player.

Quoth Hopman: "The Lawn Tennis Association of Australia has decided to accept the offer from Japan for two Australian players to compete in the Japanese national tennis championship in November. L. Schwartz and myself have been invited by the A.L.T.A. to make the tour. The fact that Japan requires Australian players late in the year precludes the Association from sending the Davis Cup players (i.e. Jack Crawford, Vivian McGrath, Adrian Quist or John Bromwich). BUDGE AND MAKO ALMOST CERTAIN

"We will be accompanied on the return journey to Australia in December by two or three American players," said Hopman.

"The Australian L.T.A. has invited the United States Association to send

Japanese players to Australia in 1932 when T. Harada, then doyen of the Japanese tennis courts, the late Jiro Satoh, and R. Nunoh, played in the Commonwealth.

This will not be the first time Schwartz has officially represented Australia in overseas tennis championships. Two years ago he was sent, with E. F. Moon, to the Philippines to represent Australia, and proved a great attraction as well as meeting with considerable success.

#### HOPMAN'S CAREER

Hopman, who formerly played for New South Wales, but is now a Victoria representative, is 29 years of age, and two years ago was ranked sixth in Australia. He is short, slightly built, but possesses a powerful, slightly hunched back, and is well equipped in stroke play, but excels at volleying and smashing and because of this is a brilliant doubles player. He has been playing in first class tennis since 1920. He was a member of the Australian Davis Cup teams in 1929, 1930 and 1932. He has won several Australian championships, principally doubles titles with Jack Crawford. Among his greatest achievements was the defeat of H. W. Austin in a major tournament. In 1934 and 1935 he accompanied the Australian Davis Cup teams to Europe as a newspaper correspondent, and while there figured in several important tournaments.

Lan Schwartz is a 26 year-old South Australian, who plays a dashing game. He is a good volleyer and has excellent ground strokes. Performed well in the 1935 Adelaide City championships and in Interstate matches. He won the South Australian doubles title with Don Turnbull in 1932.

H.K. L.T.A. SHOULD ACT NOW  
If what Hopman says is true, the Hongkong L.T.A. should lose no time in communicating with the United States Lawn Tennis Association with a view to checking up on this information and endeavouring to discover whether Budge and Mako, or whoever is sent to represent America in the Japanese championships, will be ready to play in Hongkong.

It has already been reported in the world Press that United States has accepted Australia's invitation to send players to the Commonwealth this winter, but this is the first intimation locally that she will send those players first to Japan. The visit of four players of the Budge, Mako, Hopman, Schwartz calibre in December would provide the Colony with one of the greatest tennis treats of all time, and it would be stimulated by the prior appearance here of Baron von Cramm and Henkel, the German tennis "aces", whose visit now seems to be fairly certain.

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DONALD BUDGE IN ACTION

### THE CORINTHIANS NOT DUE NOW UNTIL FEBRUARY 15

WILL STAY HERE A FORTNIGHT

(By "Veritas")

Latest news received yesterday concerning the visit of the Islington Corinthians to Hongkong is that they will not now arrive until February 15—a fortnight after Chinese New Year.

This is because the Coronation affected the steamship service and has meant the Corinthians delaying their departure from England a fortnight.

South China A.A., however have written to the footballers intimating that Hongkong will be happy to receive them on February 15.

The Corinthians have stated they will be prepared to stay in Hongkong for two weeks, and it is certain that this will be the length of their stay in the Colony.

South China have mapped out a tentative programme of matches, which naturally is subject to confirmation by the Hongkong Football Association, and may, in fact, be amended by them. The suggested S.C.A. schedule is:

Islington v. South China A.A.  
Corinthians v. Civilian XI  
v. Combined Services XI  
v. Colony XI  
Interport XI

### English Cricket Is On Up Grade

London.

"English cricket is on the up grade. There is no need for pessimism about the forthcoming visit of the Australians." Thus Sir Pelham Warner, at a dinner recently.

"In choosing English test teams we have come to think almost exclusively in terms of Bradman," he said. "I have tried to dissuade the committee in thinking so much about Bradman."

"Plum" also complained: "There is too much defensive bowling in modern cricket—too much bowling that is short of a length. Good length bowling is everything. Let us get back to it."

"Jack Hobbs was the greatest batsman on all types of wickets," he said, and "Sidney Barnes and Frank Foster were the finest pair of bowlers who ever bowled for England."

### SMILES' CHANCE OF CRICKET DOUBLE

Yorkshire Fast-Medium Bowler Feature Of Northern Cricket

London.

A feature of Northern cricket this season has been the manner in which Smiles, the Yorkshire fast-medium bowler, has shouldered a heavy burden in the absence of Bowes.

He is playing a leading part in Yorkshire's fight for the championship, and there was consternation among the county's enthusiasts when it was learnt that he had wrenched his shoulder at Lord's.

Smiles is also batting better than at any other time in his career. Nothing better has been seen in Yorkshire's batting this season than Smiles' powerful driving when he made 65 and 80 not out against Kent at Bradford.

Yorkshire supporters believe that Smiles will perform the cricket-er's double this year. Not since 1920 has a Yorkshire player scored 1,000 runs and taken 100 wickets in a season. He has already more than 400 runs to his credit and over 40 wickets. With a little more polish in his fielding it is believed that Smiles may take rank with the best of Yorkshire's all-rounders.

### Seven Catches In One Innings

London.

Fred Price, the Middlesex wicket-keeper, recently caught seven men in Yorkshire's innings at Lord's. The achievement is unequalled in first-class cricket—a record.

E. J. "Tiger" Smith (Warwickshire) and Farrimond (Lancashire) have each taken seven behind the stumps in an innings, but their seven included stumpings.

It was Price's field day. When he had made his last catch Patry Hendren patted Price's back all the way to the dressing room, while the wicket-keeper was busily occupied in stuffing the historic ball into his pocket and lifting his hat in the drizzle which had set in.

Middlesex played a new medium-paced bowler in this match. He was N. F. Turner, of the Eton 1933 XI. Turner bowled in a cap, a Free Forester cap. Despite this he took two wickets.

### Homeside County Cricket

## TEN WICKETS IN AN INNINGS

### Great Performance By Goddard

### THE LATEST RESULTS

London, Aug. 10.  
No more exciting and fascinating contest for the county cricket championships has been seen than the present one between Yorkshire and Middlesex, which became more and more intensified to-day when both teams won their matches.

Middlesex, after being put in a dangerous position, managed to beat Surrey by three wickets and thus maintained their decimal per centage lead over Yorkshire, who beat Warwick very easily.

Sussex won comfortably against Kent, although the Hop County did well to set their opponents 62 to win after being as many as 258 behind on the first innings.

Gloucestershire and Lancashire helped themselves to convincing wins, with Walter Hammond again to the fore, scoring a masterly 178.

New Zealanders on the eve of the final Test match did very well to beat Essex by four wickets. For this they were not a little indebted to W. A. Hadlee who hit up 106, and to Dunning and Cowie who took 6 for 71 and 5 for 66 respectively in the two Essex innings.

Only one of the county matches was left drawn, Glamorgan taking first innings points from Somerset.

#### GODDARD'S BOWLING

Most brilliant individual achievement was that of Goddard, the Gloucester and England bowler, who captured all ten wickets in Worcester-shire's second innings for 113 runs. In the entire match Goddard took 16 wickets for 181 runs.

Verity also had a highly successful match, taking in all 14 wickets for 92 against Warwickshire.

The results and leading performances with bat and ball as sent by Reuter, follow.

#### COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP

Middlesex (151 and 230/7) beat Surrey (170 and 209) by three wickets.

Derbyshire (462/0 dec. and 111/1) beat Northants (199 and 159) by nine wickets.

Yorkshire (282 and 100/1) beat Warwickshire (205 and 180) by nine wickets.

Sussex (552 and 62/0) beat Kent (324 and 317) by nine wickets.

Gloucestershire (199 and 317/7) beat Worcestershire (310 and 202) by three wickets.

Lancashire (347 and 126/0) beat Northants (199 and 317) by ten wickets.

Glamorgan (245 and 197) beat Somerset (191 and 183/0) on first innings.

#### FRIENDLY

New Zealanders (368 and 128/0) beat Essex (256 and 239) by four wickets.

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### RACING DRIVERS' CLUB'S 500

### INNOVATIONS FOR ANNUAL RACE

Many innovations are to be found in the regulations for the British Racing Drivers' Club's "500," to be held at Brooklands on September 18.

The distance has been reduced from 500 miles (161 laps) to 500 kilometres (112 laps).

In the past it has been noticeable that most of the incidents and retirements have taken place in the first two or three hundred miles.

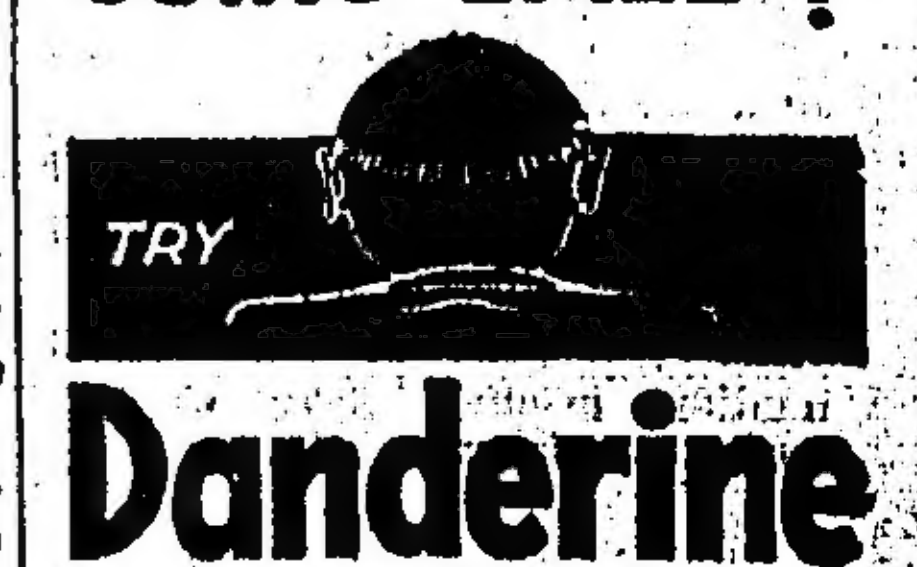
Another novelty is that instead of the small cars starting before the scratch machines and covering the same distance, all cars will start together, the slower machines being allowed a number of credit laps.

The 1,100 unsupercharged cars, on the limit mark, will start at the same time as the over-6-cylinders, but will only have to cover 90 laps as against the 112 laps of scratch machines.

The race will start at 2.30 p.m. and will terminate when the fourth finisher has been flagged, or at 6.45, whichever is the earlier.

Any competitor who is still running when the race is stopped, and who has covered four-fifths of the distance, will be regarded as a finisher if he crosses the finishing line during the five minutes immediately preceding the stopping of the race.

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### FASTEST SCORING IN CRICKET

#### 75 RUNS HIT IN THREE OVERS

London.  
A recent 105 hit up in 45 minutes by Mr. H. Brown of Wansford (Northamptonshire) has resulted in something of a competition for the highest score in the shortest time.

Mr. L. D. Elcombe of Farnham near Dartford, claims to have scored 105 in 35 minutes for the Broadway Club in a Southampton Wednesday League game in 1935.

But the record is surely that of Mr. Frank Meade, who, playing for Canford Wanderers against the Concert Artists' Association, rattled up 143 in 45 minutes, the last 110 coming in 21 minutes. He scored 75 in three consecutive overs.

### CLASH OF GREATEST MILERS PLANNED

Hopes Of Arranging A Lovelock-Cunningham Race At Stockholm

London.  
The organisers of the Stockholm games, to be held at the Stockholm Stadium from August 4 to 6, are hoping to arrange a match between Glenn Cunningham, holder of the world's mile record, and Jack Lovelock, the Olympic 1,600 metres champion and world record-holder. Invitations have been extended to the United States athletes who will be competing in London on August 2, and also to Lovelock. In addition, Karl Hein, the German winner of an Olympic gold medal, is expected to compete, and the Swede, E. Wagnard, will have an opportunity to take revenge for the defeat in the Olympics.

Among the many countries to which invitations have been sent for the Stockholm games is Russia, and it is hoped that obstacles connected with Soviet relations to the International Athletic Federation will be overcome.



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three players on a tour of Australia. "Donald Budge and Gene Mako are almost certain to make the trip, after competing in the Japanese championships. If they do so, Hongkong enthusiasts should also see them in action."

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# NAWAB OF PATAUDI BACK IN BIG CRICKET

## Recovers From Three Years Illness

### HOME SPORTS NOTES

(By "Athenian")

London. It is good news for Worcestershire, and indeed for all cricket-lovers, that the Nawab of Pataudi is back in England and is expected to play for his adopted country in July. "Pat" has been out of cricket for three years owing to illness, but when he played for Indian Gymkhana at Osterley the other day he appeared to be his old self again.

The apparently effortless and brilliant strokes which delighted spectators in the past were much in evidence. If he can get enough practice he hopes to play for All-India against Lord Tennyson's team which will tour India next winter.

The Nawab scored a century in his first Test Match against Australia with Jardine's team in 1932. He failed in the second match and was not played again.

**BARRE THE CRICKETER**  
Barrie, unlike most Scotsmen, was not interested in golf, but he always had a deep affection for cricket. When "Plum" Warner brought the "Ashes" back from Australia, Barrie took the chair at a banquet given in the cricketer's honour and in the course of his speech expressed regret that he had seen Warner but only twice, adding: "On the first occasion he scored one run. The second time, he wasn't quite so successful."

Once, when asked what his own bowling was like, Barrie replied: "Who is the slowest bowler in the game?" "I should say Granville Somerset," came the answer. "Well, I'm about half as fast," said Barrie.

**PROFIT FOR ESSEX**  
My recent remarks on Filby's table tennis remind me that Stanley Profit, a newcomer to county cricket, is also a brilliant international table tennis player, having represented England in the Swaythling Cup. Profit is a Lancastrian now qualified for Essex.

Just before starting his county cricket career, Profit, a left-arm slow bowler, took all ten wickets and scored a century in a club match. If the left-hander can reproduce this form in his county matches Essex should finish a little higher up the list than last season.

Incidentally, I hear that the English Table Tennis Association intends to engage the Albert Hall, London, for a whole week for next season's championships. A new rule, which comes into force in September, is the lowering of the net by three-quarters of an inch to a height of six inches. "Finger-spin" services are to be banned.

**STILL LARGER TOTE**  
I wrote recently that the Tote at the White City Dog Track claimed to be the world's largest, having 600 selling windows. Asot has gone one better. The Tote, which broke all records for Asot week, has just been enlarged and now has 700 windows. The staff numbers 700.

Asot was bad for bookmakers. Twenty of the 28 races went against them and it is estimated that altogether they lost £700,000. Favourite do win sometimes!

**WIDER BILLIARDS POCKETS**  
I hear that Joe Davis is having a successful tour in South Africa. This is his second trip abroad. His first was four years ago when he went to Australia to play Walter Lindrum for the World title.

The British champion is reported as having said that from the point of view of the average amateur player, billiards and snooker were too difficult, and that to improve matters the width of the pockets should be increased by an inch.

This alteration would certainly mean bigger breaks. The player who now feels rather pleased with himself when he scores 25 would have little difficulty in making a 50 break. He would thus get more satisfaction out of the game. It is perhaps hardly necessary to add that there is little likelihood of the "reform" being adopted.

**WHY STOP AT 20 SECONDS?**  
This idea of changing the rules to suit the players is apparently popular in United States boxing circles. The Americans seem bent on altering the rules of boxing to conform to their own notions of what the "noble art"

should be. Following on the absurd "no foul" rule we now have what seems to me the equally ridiculous and unnecessary extension of the knock-out time from ten to twenty seconds. This was instituted for the Louis-Braddock fight.

Ring enthusiasts cannot help asking: what next? Surely the rules of boxing should apply universally and should not be altered except by universal agreement? American boxers visiting Britain cannot expect to find a similar iniquity regarding rules or the same willingness to alter those that may at times prove a little inconvenient.

**WHO HAS LONGEST REACH?**  
Though Neusel is 1½ inches taller than Farr, his reach is four inches shorter. The British champion's reach of 70 inches, though not by any means a record, is well above the average for heavyweight boxers.

Louis measures 70 inches from finger tip to finger tip, just two inches shorter than Braddock. A heavyweight with an unusually short reach (for heavyweights) was Joe Beckett (70½ inches) who nevertheless defeated boxers with longer reaches, including Bombardier Wells (79½ inches).

**SWIMMING TRIALS**  
Further swimming trials for the Inter-club meet were held yesterday at V.C.C. where two heats of the 50 yards, the 220 yards and a water-polo game were the events. Both heats of the 50 yards returned 25.3/5 sec. In the 220 yards W. Lawrence beat Norman Lee and A. A. Roza by three yards. Roza and Lee tied for second place. The time was 2 min. 30 sec.

N. Lee won the first heat of the 50 yards with Chung Tse-ting second in 27 sec. and R. B. Wood third in 27.1/5 sec. Lieut. Barron was fourth. Chan Wing-kai won the other heat with Ng Chan-man second in 26.1/5 sec. and L. M. Remedios third in 27.1/5 sec. Lieut. Lewis and Gunner Seary also swam.

Lawrence got off to a fine start in the 220 yards, closely followed by Roza. Ng Chan-man was retiring after 100 yards. Roza tailed closely to Lawrence for the first 150 yards but dropped behind over the last few lengths. Lee was about three yards in the rear, but spurring level over the last 20 yards drew level with Roza for second place.

The water polo game was fast with Whites winning two goals to nil. Both were scored by A. A. Roza in the second half. J. A. Calvert played a great game subduing Roza all through the first half.

**WHITES.—**M. M. Soares; W. Lawrence; A. Hussain; Fung Kwok-wah; A. A. Roza; R. Chan; J. J. Remedios. **Blacks.—**Chan Sik-pul; E. Chan; Delgado; J. M. Calvert; E. M. Marques; A. A. Gutierrez; L. Roza Pereira.

**R. A. AQUATICS**  
The Royal Artillery will hold its annual aquatic sports to-morrow at the South China bath, North Point, at 10 a.m.



W. A. Hadlee, the New Zealander, who scored a century against Essex yesterday. He will play in the final Test match on Saturday against England.

## I.R.C. Sports Successes Revealed In Annual Report

The annual general meeting of members of the Indian Recreation Club will be held on Wednesday, August 25, at 5.15 p.m. at the Club's premises at Sookunpo, to receive and, if thought fit, to pass the Report and Statement of Accounts for the past year, to elect officers for the year 1937-38 and to transact any other business.

The Report contains the following items:

The Committee regret to record the death of Mr. D. Rumbold, who had rendered valuable services to the Club as Hon. Secretary, Treasurer, Committee-member and playing member, and they wish to extend in his relatives their condolence.

The Cash Balance as on June 30, 1937, was \$721.54, which is considered satisfactory. The Working Account showed a profit of \$128.36. Cricket.—During the year, the Club had a successful season. The Senior XI, led by Mr. A. H. Rumbold, tied with the Hongkong C.C. for first place with 17 points, arrived at a no-decision in a replay. The Cricket League finally decided the Hongkong C.C. and the Club should be co-champions, each club keeping the Shield for six months.

It was most regrettable that Mr. F. D. Pereira, the fast bowler and one of the Club's Interceptors, had to withdraw from local cricket for health reasons and depart for Ceylon. Prior to his departure, Mr. Pereira was presented with a souvenir from his fellow-members in the presence of Mr. A. el Attouli, the President, who spoke on behalf of the donors, expressing regret at Mr. Pereira's departure and wishing him good luck and a speedy return to health.

The interest in the Sunday Cricket League has been well maintained, and the Malays, captained by Mr. K. Nazarin, won for the third time the Brand Stout Shield presented by Messrs. Ed. and John Eckerstein, Ltd., through Messrs. Harry Wicking and Co. Ltd.

**TENNIS CHAMPIONS**  
Tennis.—The Committee congratulate Messrs. S. A. and H. D. Rumbold on winning the Open Doubles Championship of the Colony for the twelfth time. The Club is proud of their achievement.

The Committee also congratulate Mr. H. D. Rumbold on winning the Singles Championship of the Colony for the first time in an all-Indian final. His cousin, Mr. S. A. Rumbold, was the other finalist.

**Athletics.—**The Sixth Annual Athletic Sports were held on April 25 and were well attended by members and their friends. Mrs. A. G. Safford, wife of the Vice-President, gave away the prizes at the conclusion of the meeting.

**Social.—**In celebrating the Club's cricket success in the Senior League and honouring members who represented Hongkong in the Cricket Interceptor against Shanghai last year, a dinner was held at the Club on April 24. The guests were Messrs. A. R. Minu, A. H. Madar and K. Nazarin.

A dinner in honour of the Rumbold cousins' tennis successes was also held and well attended. A dinner was given by Mr. S. S. Mamak during Coronation week in

honour of the Club winning the Cricket Championship together with the Hongkong C.C.

## Football Association Council Meeting

The second meeting of the Hongkong Football Association Council will be held on Monday, August 16, at 6 p.m. in the Association's rooms at the Gloucester Hotel.

Business includes receiving minutes of the Management Committee held on Monday and to consider an application from the Boys' League for financial assistance.

Prior to this meeting, the Referees' Committee will meet for an important discussion.

## HONGKONG BEATEN

### Local Lawn Bowlers Lose Esplin Cup

Hongkong lawn bowlers were defeated in the annual Esplin Cup match by the Wanstend Bowling Club, by 24-19 on July 26. Three rinks of local bowlers were entered at Wanstend, all losing their games by narrow margins.

The official rinks were: Wanstend.—E. A. Bristow, J. Ramsey, S. J. Goddard and A. Smith (skip).

Hongkong.—C. Dowman (Police), A. F. Paul (Hongkong Electric), W. E. Hollands (Police) and W. V. Field (Craigengower C.C.), skip.

In the other two rinks, J. Roberts, V. H. W. Chittenden, G. T. Padgett and A. B. Allan (skip) were beaten by 22-20, while a rink skipped by T. W. Carr lost by 20-19.

Wanstend finished the day with 66 shots to Hongkong's 58.

Hongkong won the Esplin Cup for the first time in 1935, and repeated the success last year.

## PONIES CLASSIFIED

The following classification of Australian ponies has been announced by the Hongkong Jockey Club:

"A" Class.—Able Amazon, Amulet, Aztec, Centre Court, Courting Eve, Double Finesse, Election, Gypsy Love, Helderado, Holiday Eve, Home Brew, Katinka, Lancashire Chips, Ranger and Strathroy.

"B" Class.—A Great Time, Australian Boy, Bag Tor, Blandford, Boblink Star, Derby Day, Dick Turpin, Llanarmon, Perfect Day, Racing Heart, Saucy Face, Snowy River, Stratherrick, Vixen Tor and Zodia.

"C" Class.—Bent That, Bonanza Belle, Bravado, Brutus, Discovery Bay, Just That, Llangollen, Roofly, Solerina, The Right Time, Twilight Star and Violet Queen.

## FARR-JOE LOUIS FIGHT PROSPECTS JACOBS EXPLAINS THE POSITION

(By Jack Cuddy)  
United Press Staff Correspondent

New York. Heavyweight Champion Joe Louis and Tommy Farr, champion of the British Empire, have been matched for a title fight "somewhere in the United States" in August.

This cancelled European negotiations for a Schmeling-Farr bout in London on Sept. 1.

The agreement was concluded by trans-Atlantic telephone and cable conversations between Promoter Mike Jacobs of New York and Farr's manager, Ted Broadbribb.

Promoter Jacobs confirmed the telephone agreement with the following cable to Broadbribb: "Your championship fight with Joe Louis accepted on basis of 20 per cent. option and guarantee. Fight in September. Offer our agreement closed, Mike Jacobs."

The "Strickland" referred to in the cable is Maurice Strickland, New Zealand heavyweight, who will fight in one of the preliminaries.

While the negotiations were being closed, Promoter Jacobs had a conference with Former Champion James J. Braddock and his manager, Joe Gould. The presence of Braddock and Gould in Jacobs' office at this time led many observers to believe that the Louis-Farr agreement to meet Braddock—instead of Louis—thus virtually forcing Schmeling to meet Louis in Chicago in September as Promoter Jacobs desires.

Jacobs explained that he closed with Farr because Schmeling had refused to accept or reject his offer for a September title bout with the Brown Bomber. "I gave Schmeling 30 hours in which to answer my cable," Jacobs explained. "And when he didn't even give me the courtesy of an answer, I decided not to monkey with him any longer. In my cable to Schmeling, I informed him that the New York commission had recognized Louis as champion and desired Schmeling as Louis' first title opponent."

Would this agreement for the Louis-Farr fight interfere with the Brown Bomber's proposed trip to England to fight Jack Doyle or Len Harvey at Wembley Stadium on August 9? Jacobs wasn't sure, but most of the boxing writers felt certain there would be no London trip for the bomber, now.

Farr is the young Welsh heavyweight who, in the past year, beat Walter Neusel, Maxie Baer, Jack Petersen, Tommy Loughran and Bob Olin.

## HELEN HICKS WINS WESTERN OPEN Former U.S. Champion Takes Only Title Left For Her

Chicago, Illinois. Miss Helen Hicks, who was American Women's Champion golfer in 1931, became a champion again when she defeated Miss Beatrice Barrett, of Minneapolis, Minnesota, six and five in the finals of the Women's Western open tournament here.

Miss Hicks, from Hewlett, Long Island, led almost from the start and clinched the title with a lead of seven holes early in the match. This title is the only one for which she is eligible as she turned professional several years ago through connections with a sporting goods manufacturer.

The only other "business woman" in the tournament was Miss Babe Didrikson, of Beaumont, Texas, former women's Olympic Star, who was eliminated by Miss Dorothy Foster, of Springfield, Illinois, in the quarterfinals one up in 19 holes.



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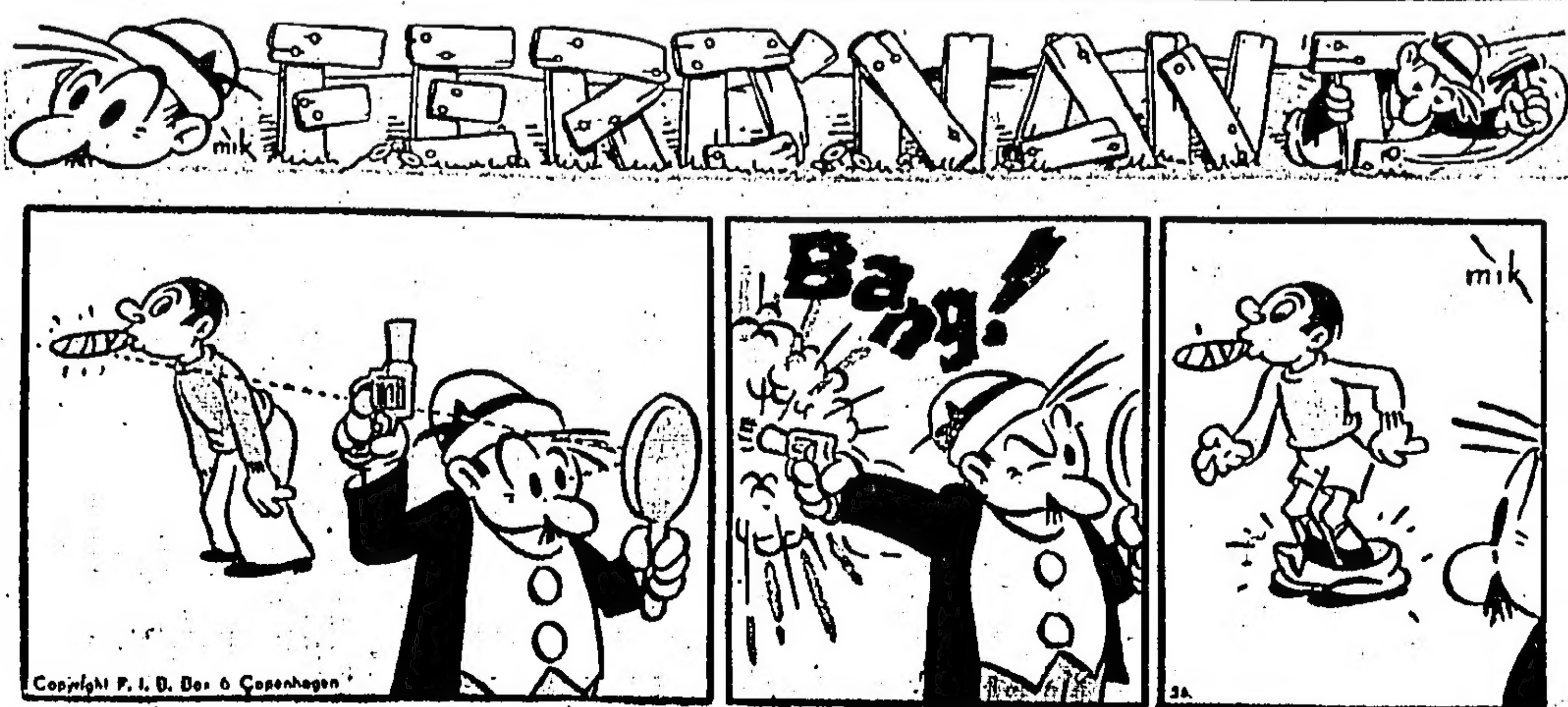
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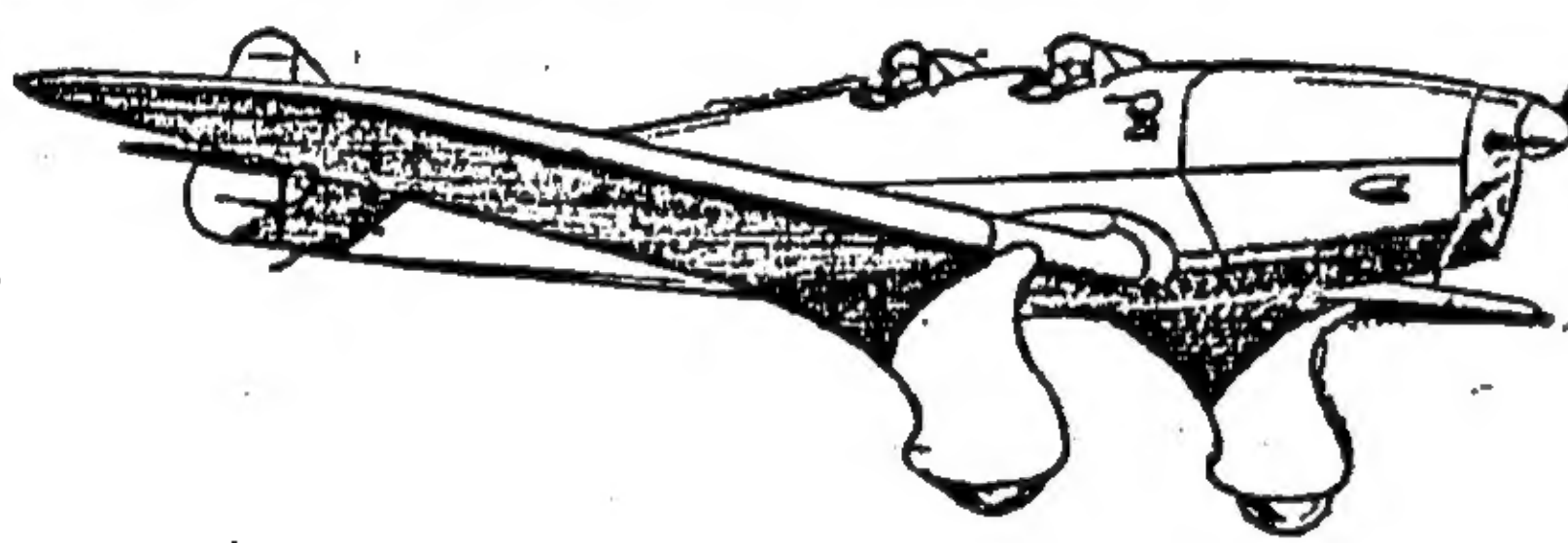
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In consequence of representations made by intending competitors, it has been decided to extend the closing date of the "Hongkong Telegraph" Amateur Photographic Competition to September 30, 1937.

Entry is free, and there is no limit to the number of pictures which may be sent in, but no picture may be entered in more than one section. Competitors are advised to read the rules carefully before forwarding their entries.

### ARMED MAN CHASED THROUGH WANCHAI

#### ATTEMPT ROBBERY OF A MONEY-CHANGER'S SHOP

The pursuit through Wanchai district of an armed robber who attempted to rob a money-changer's shop in broad daylight, was described by Detective Sub-Inspector W. N. Darlin at the Central Magistrate's Court yesterday, when before Mr. W. Schofield, Ho Sang, 23, unemployed, was charged with assault with intent to rob, attempted murder, and possession of arms and ammunition without a licence.

The case was for committal, and after evidence had been heard defendant was ordered to stand his trial at the next Criminal Sessions.

Sub-Inspector Darlin said that about 4.30 p.m. on July 23 defendant walked into the Shing Lee Money-Changers shop at No. 170 Johnston Road. He produced a revolver with which he menaced the man behind the grill, and demanded all the money in the shop. The shop-master, who was standing by, came up, and the man turned the revolver on him. Later he again switched it back to the other man, and the master ran out of the shop into the next, where he raised the alarm and asked his neighbour to give him assistance to deal with an armed robber.

Defendant ran out of No. 170 in the direction of Wanchai Road. At the mouth of the latter road he saw a Chinese constable and at once turned and went back the way he had come. He turned into Tai Wo Street, followed by the money-changer, his neighbour and the constable. There he turned round and threatened the constable with the revolver. The officer fired two rounds, missing with both.

The chase continued to where Tai Wo Street joined Wanchai Road. There after traversing a small back street the defendant ran back into Wanchai Road, and across Johnston Road into Fleming Road. At the junction of Fleming Road and Hennessy Road he was captured by an Indian police Sergeant who was off duty at the time.

Weapon Effective  
The first witness called was Acting Police Sergeant F. Penfold, who said that about 11.40 a.m. on July 24, Sub-Inspector Darlin handed to him one .38 five-chambered revolver, maker's name unknown, of crude manufacture. Also three rounds of .38 Smith and Wesson revolver ammunition, two rounds of which were marked REM UMC .38 S. & W. and one round of which had the inscription .38 S. & W. SPL. He tested the revolver on July 28 in the Browning room at Police Headquarters and found it was capable of discharging a bullet. He made this test by firing the weapon into a sack of cotton waste. He produced the bullet, which had a deep groove caused by irregularity in the barrel.

Chang Yim-ning, manager of the shop, in the course of evidence bearing out the prosecution's opening, said that when he rushed out of the shop the defendant turned the revolver on him and he heard two clicks. Witness then described the chase. He said that when they met the Chinese constable he shouted out to the latter to open fire on the defendant as he was an armed robber. He identified the revolver in court as the weapon with which he had been threatened.

Lee Yu-kwan, the man behind the counter in the shop, said he was a distant relative of the manager, last witness, and acted in the capacity of assistant cashier. When the defendant came into the shop and threatened him he (defendant) said: "Give me all your money quickly; I have a gun." He also identified the revolver.

Liu Fung, mother of the second witness, gave corroborative evidence.

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witness, gave corroborative evidence.

Ling Sang, ex-policeman and now a tailor at No. 108 Johnston Road, said about 4.30 p.m. on the day in question Chang rushed into his shop and told him a robber with a gun was in his shop. He thought he was joking, but went out to have a look. He saw defendant pointing the revolver at third witness.

The man turned it on witness when he saw him, and he retreated into his own shop.

Chang then blew his whistle from behind witness, and defendant, realising the game was up, bolted out of the shop and the chase started.

Yu Tai-ha, private car driver, of 1 Tai Wo Street, ground floor, said he was in his master's car outside the door of the address when he heard a whistle blown and saw a chase. He joined in and was present when the defendant was arrested by the Indian Sergeant.

Police Chase  
Chan Shi, P. C. C209, attached to No. 2 Police Station, said he was on duty on July 23 when he heard a whistle blown in Wanchai Road near Johnston Road and shouts of "armed robbery." He saw defendant running along the pavement from west to east towards him. When he saw witness he ran off the pavement onto the road and ran back westwards. Witness then gave his version of the chase, which tallied with the evidence of the previous witnesses.

Basawa Singh, P. C. B485, stationed at No. 2 Police Station, said that about 4.45 p.m. on July 23 he was off duty and was returning to the station from shopping. In Wanchai Road near Cross Street he heard whistles and turned back. The car driver shouted out to him that defendant was a robber and had a gun. He joined in the chase, and at the junction of Hennessy Road and Fleming Road caught up with the man and secured him. Defendant tried to draw his revolver, but witness held it in his hand.

Sub-Inspector Darlin went into the box and said that about 5 p.m. on July 23 he was in the charge room of No. 2 Police Station when the last witness came in with the defendant in custody. The Sergeant had a revolver which he handed to witness, saying he had taken it from the defendant.

Witness examined the weapon and found it had an empty chamber under the hammer, and three live rounds to the left of the barrel. The cylinder revolved clockwise. On July 24 he handed the revolver to Acting Sergeant Penfold for examination and testing.

Defendant's statements, made at the station in answer to the charges, were read out by Fu Yik-ching, interpreter stationed at No. 2.

To the first charge he said: "I have nothing to say. I did intend to rob because I had no money to spend." To the second: "I only raised the gun. It was not my intention to kill him at all. I never

### £10,000 OPIUM CASE OWNERS AND BANK BEAR LOSS

Mr. Justice C. G. Alabaster yesterday gave his reserved judgment in the £10,000 opium confiscation claim, holding that the Bank of Taiwan, and H. S. M. R. Kazerooni & Sons of Persia, could not recover the value of the opium from their shippers, Rickmers Rhederei A.G.

The Rickmers line were the defendants in this action, which had its beginnings in November, 1930, when the Chinese Government seized 100 cases of opium on board the s.s. Claus Rickmers, which was transporting the opium from Hongkong to Dairen.

His Lordship held that there was a "Restraint of Rulers" on the facts of the case, and discarded the allegations that defendants had shown contributory negligence in non-compliance with certain rules of the port of Shanghai. The reason for the confiscation must remain a matter for individual speculation, he concluded.

Mr. Eldon Potter, K.C., and Mr. H. C. Macnamara were instructed by Mr. R. A. Wadsworth, of Deacons, for the plaintiffs, while Mr. H. G. Sheldon, K.C., and the Hon. Mr. Leo D'Almada, were instructed by Mr. D. H. Blake, of Wilkinson & Grist, for defendants. Mr. H. A. Reekes, barrister-at-law, Shanghai, was also in court for defendants.

### THE ROWANBANK

#### BUILT IN HONGKONG DURING WAR SHORTAGE

A Hongkong-built ship with an interesting record has just arrived in Australia.

She is the Rowanbank, one of the ships built to a standard pattern in Hongkong shipyards during the war years, when the submarine menace threatened the mercantile marine.

She was launched in Hongkong, as the War Milner, just as hostilities ended, and was sold to the Greeks, trading for several years under the names Cephalonia and Stathis. She was purchased again about ten years ago by the King Line, and has since gone to Melbourne, Australia, as the King Howe. She was sold to the Andrew Weir Line twelve months ago, and renamed Rowanbank.

said anything." And to the third charge: "I brought this gun from the country. I did not know that it required a licence."

Defendant neither elected to give evidence nor to make a statement, and was committed for trial.

### CHEKIANG LOSS RECOVERED MAILS ARRIVE

No further word has been received from Chiling Point regarding the fate of the three members of the crew of the C.N.A.C. plane Chekiang, which made a forced landing on Sunday morning. The plane is a total loss, and no attempt will be made to salvage it. The mail, part of which was recovered by the Maritime Customs cruiser Ho Shing, arrived in Hongkong last night aboard the C.M.C. cruiser and will be re-forwarded to Shanghai.

A formidable task confronts postal sorters for the salt water-soaked bundles of letters will require delicate handling.

The Postmaster General (Mr. Wynne Jones) estimated last night that about 60 per cent. of the mail had been regained, but he said it was impossible to gauge how much of it would be decipherable until it had been dried. Before leaving Hongkong, he said, the letters had been tied in bundles and put in sealed canvas bags, but the force of the mishap had burst several of the bags.

The letters were found fairly scattered, he added, some being recovered by fishermen soon after the crash floating in the water.

#### No Plane Yesterday

Weather conditions along the coast prevented the C.N.A.C. plane due here from Shanghai yesterday afternoon from taking off from the new airport. The plane is now due to-day.

#### The R. M. A. Dorado

The Imperial Airways plane Dorado arrived here at 11.15 a.m. yesterday and made two records. She had made a perfect landing after flying the last few miles in the worst weather ever encountered by an Imperial Airways machine about to land or landing here, and she brought 330,974 kilos of mail, nearly nine kilos more than the previous record mail.

Due to land at 10.55 a.m. the Dorado reported that up to Gap Rock the weather had been reasonably good but she was running into violent rain. At Kai Tak the opposite side of the landing ground was obscured by torrential rain. At 11.10 a.m. the Dorado sent a message to say she had sighted the aerodrome and was coming in to land. The rain had lessened somewhat but was still falling heavily and visibility was not good. At 11.15 a.m. the plane made a perfect landing after suddenly appearing from out of the mist towards Lyceum. Her engines roaring and throwing up a cloud of spray showered right over the machine, the Dorado taxied quickly across the aerodrome, pilot keeping the machine moving

quickly for fear of its becoming bogged if allowed to rest quickly in any one spot for any time.

Without mishap the plane taxied straight into the hangar to disembark its two passengers in shelter. The landing had been made very successfully and with great skill in the worst weather yet experienced by an incoming Imperial Airways plane.

Immediately the plane was at a standstill the record mail was discharged. It amounted to 330,974 kilos as compared with the previous inward of 322,668 kilos made last Christmas. There was also one kilo of freight aboard.

The passengers included Mr. A. J. Varamow, the first Bulgarian to arrive here by air, a business man on a pleasure trip to the Far East who will continue to Shanghai by C.N.A.C. plane. He flew all the way from London by Imperial Airways. Also aboard was Mr. Teh Koon-poh, a Chinese who flew from Penang, and is on his way to Indo-China.

#### Hongkong Clipper

The typhoon now nearing Luzon is right in the track of the Pan-American Airways clipper headed for Manila, and the plane has consequently been delayed at Guam for 48 hours. The eastbound plane is safely on its way to America on schedule.

Should the typhoon continue in its present path it may again delay the clipper when it is due to hop off from Manila for Hongkong. Unfortunately the typhoon is following almost the exact path of the flying boats, and keeping a little ahead of them! Under these conditions the arrival of the Hongkong Clipper has been delayed, and it is not yet certain when she will reach Hongkong.

#### Children's Colic.

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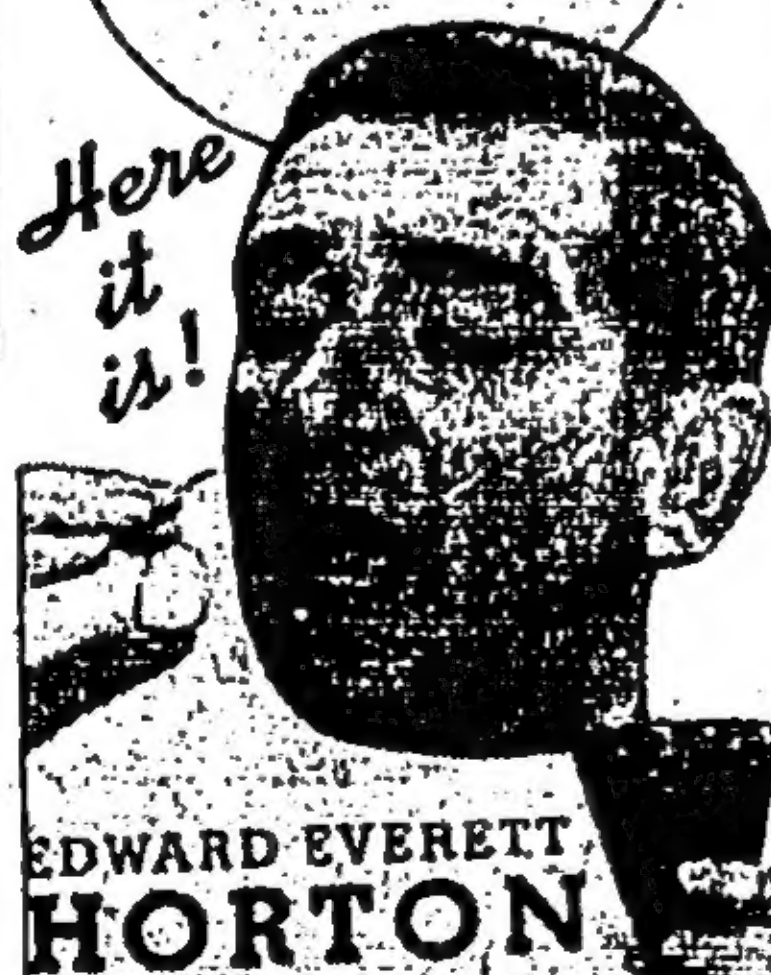
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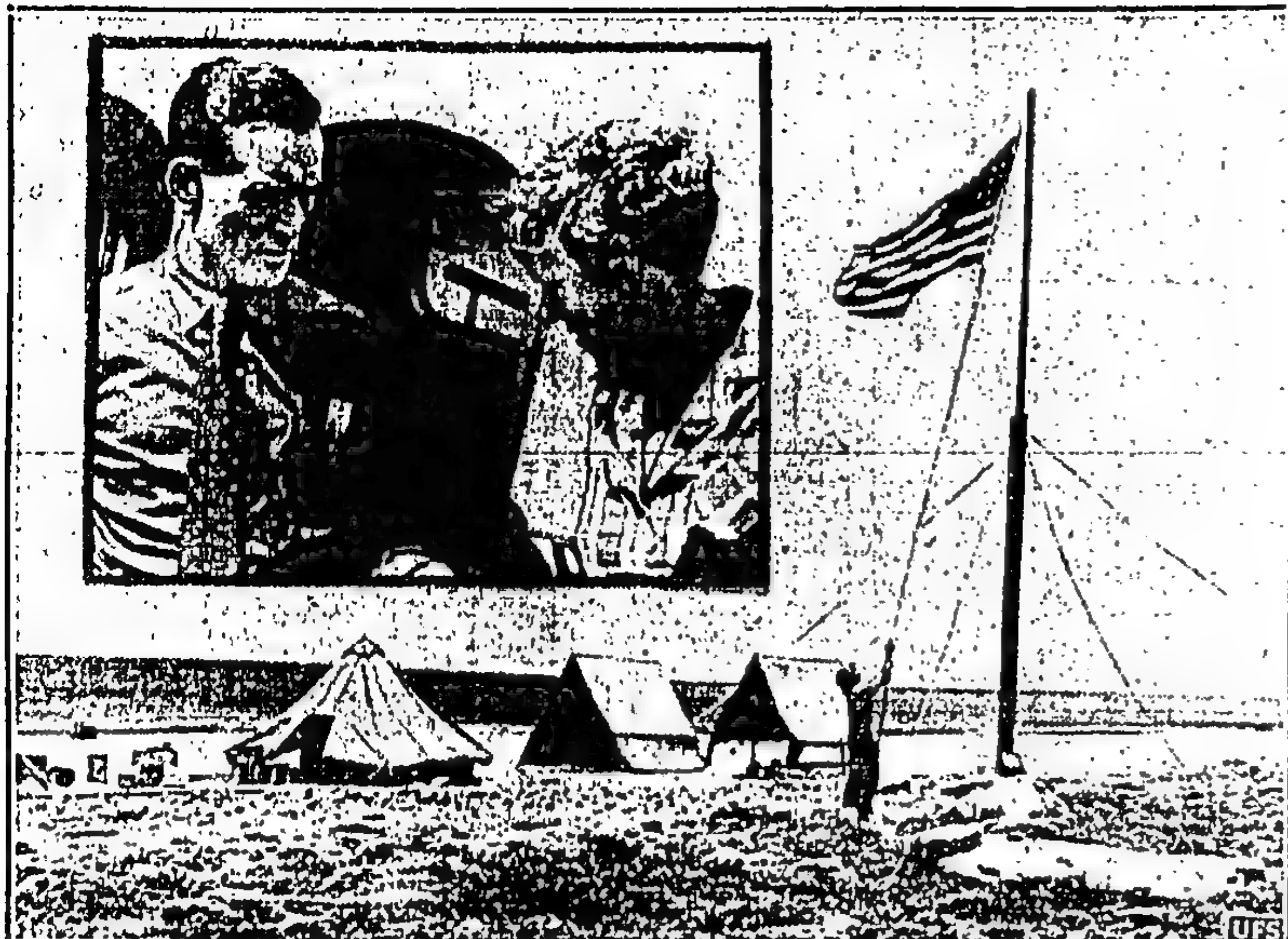




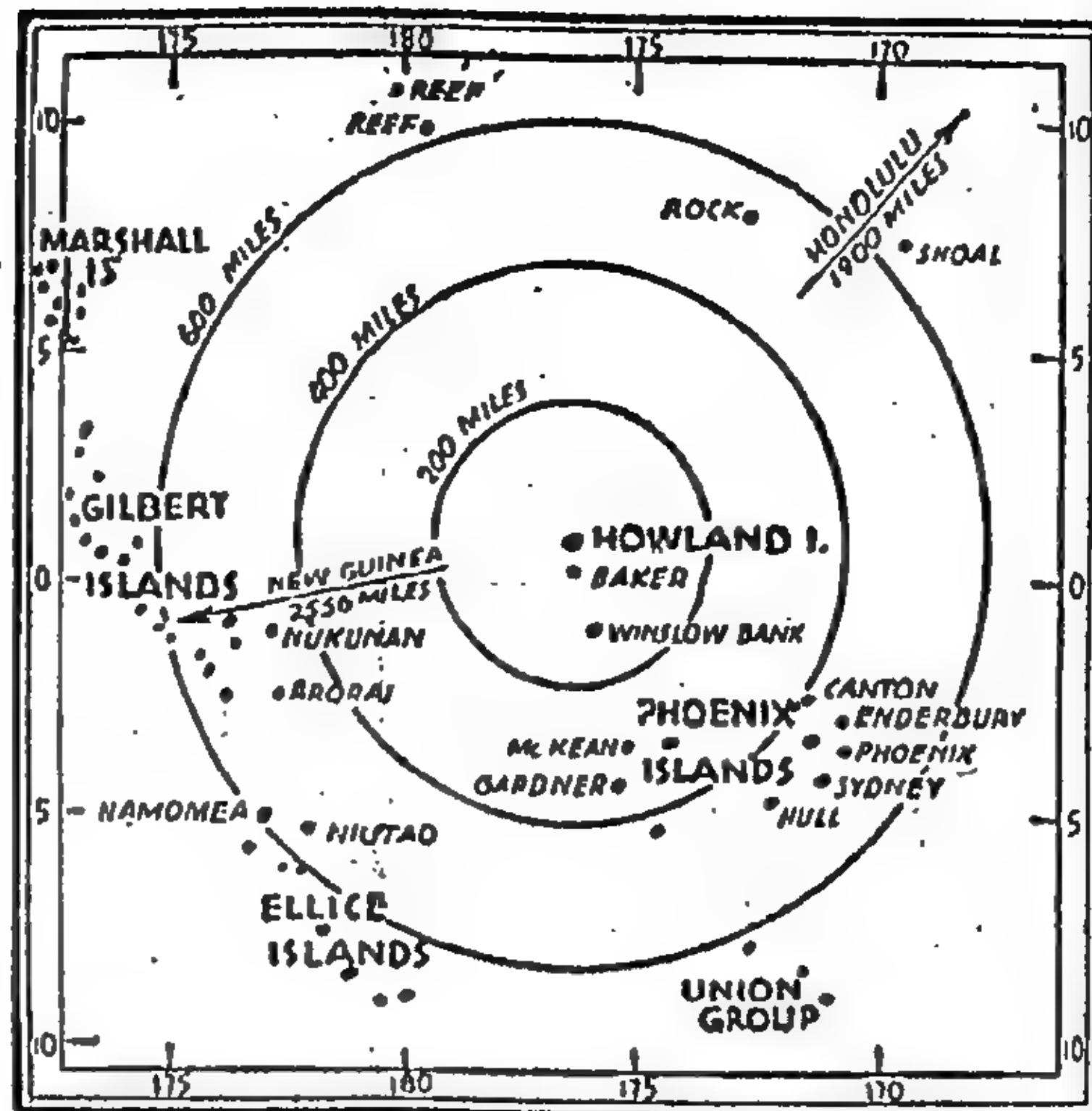
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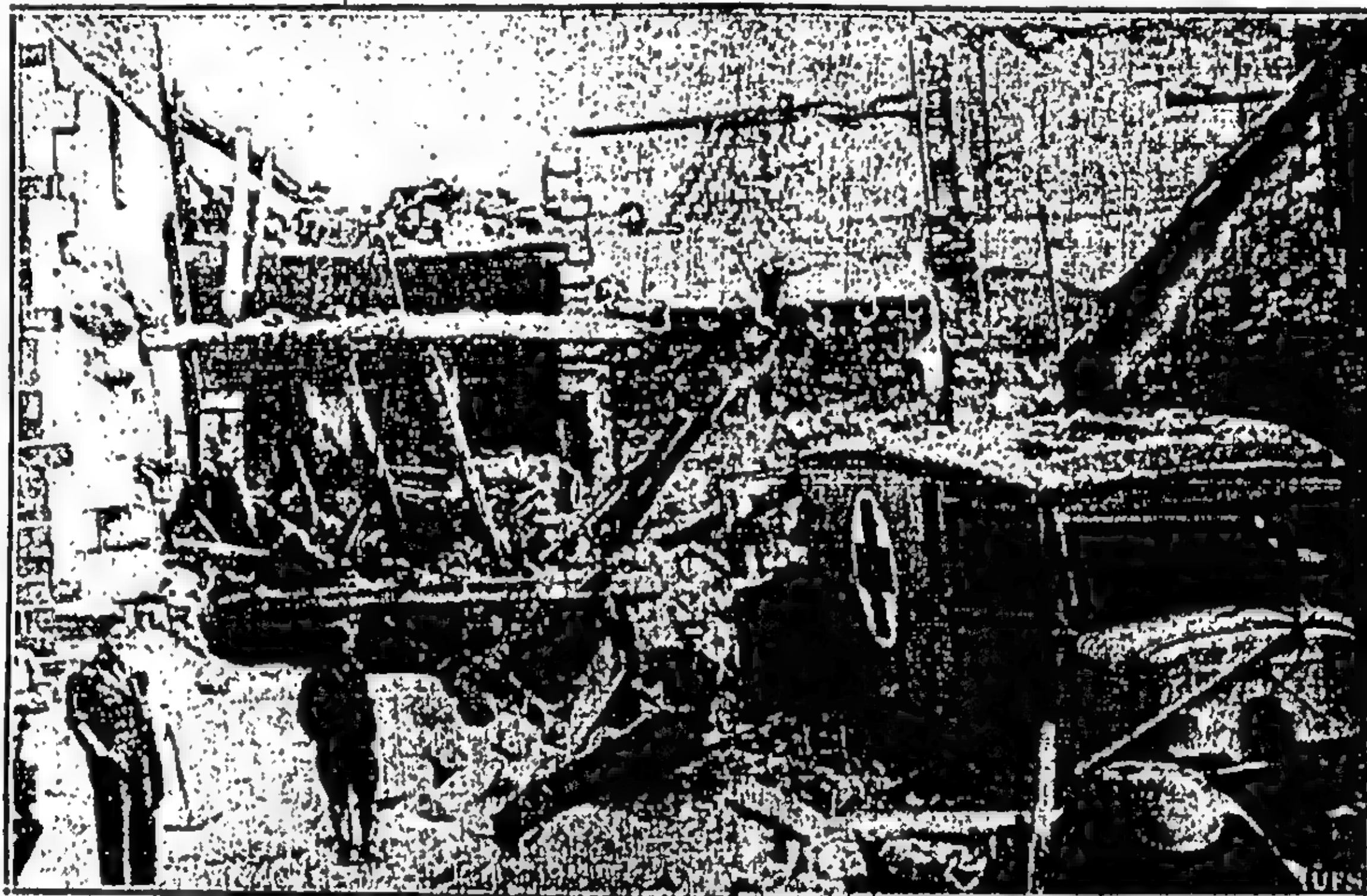
This sand-strewn coral reef in the Pacific Ocean was the goal missed by Amelia Earhart and her navigator, Captain Frederick Noonan, in their world-round flight. This scene occurred when it became the property of the United States in 1935. Inset, Miss Earhart and Captain Noonan in San Juan, Puerto Rico, on the first leg of their ill-fated flight.



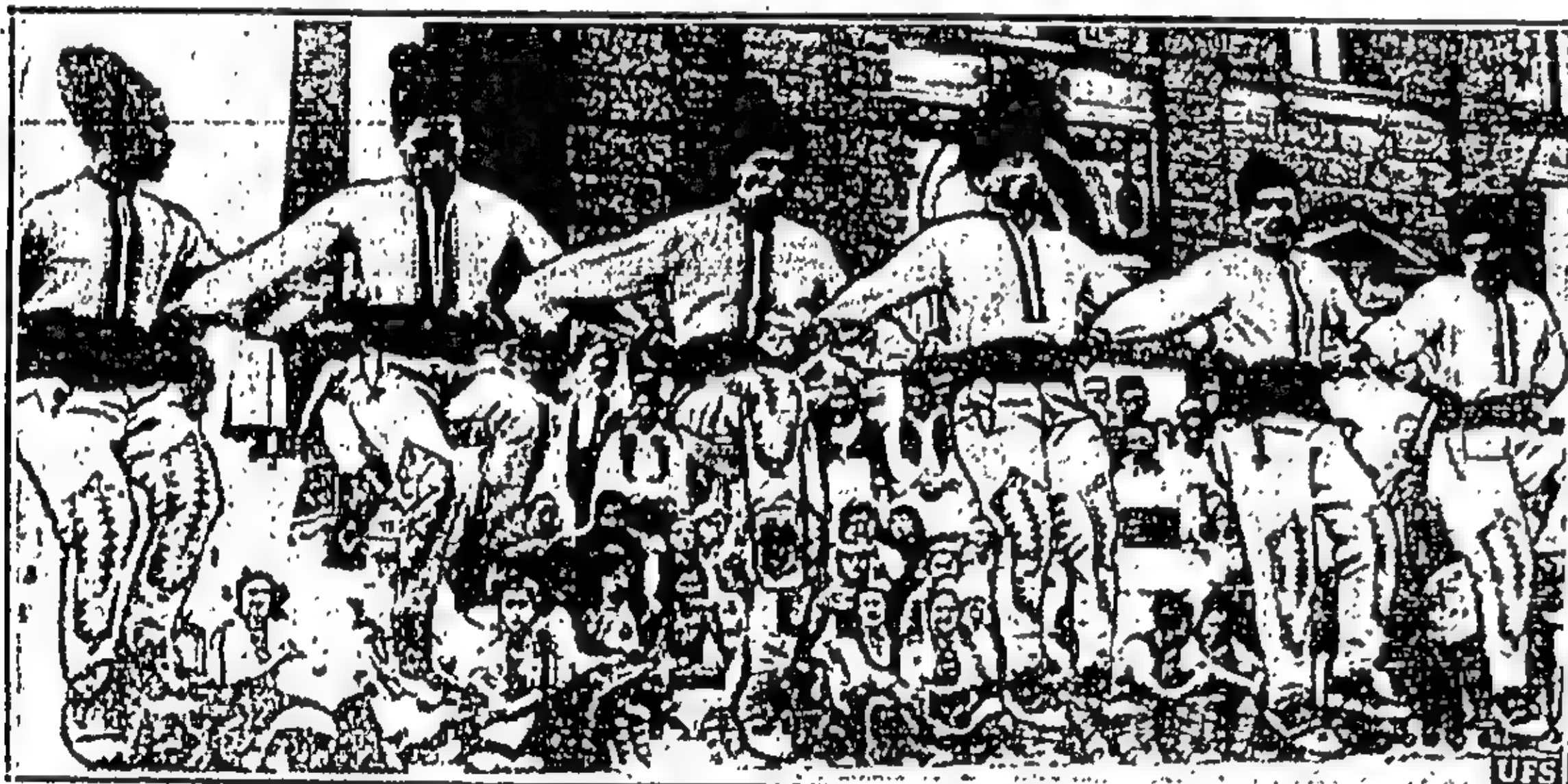
**HUNT FOR AMELIA**—This map shows the locality around Howland Island in the Pacific Ocean where the hunt was made over long weary days for the missing Amelia Earhart and her navigator, Frederick J. Noonan. Howland Island, a mere sand-strewn coral reef, is shown as the focal point in the isle-dotted south seas.



**WOMEN IN WAR**—This scene on the Aragon front in Spain shows two Loyalist soldiers operating a field telephone. And one of the fighters is, as may be seen, a woman!



**WARFARE IN SPAIN**—Struggle for domination of the Aragon front in northeastern Spain has brought many scenes like this taken in the town of Igras. These ruins are the result of insurgent air raids, when bombs rained from the clouds. Unfortunately for the village, it happened to be on the second line of the Aragon front. The ambulance has been wrecked.



**DANCE**—If it's a warm summer day, with the temperature hitting the high mark, you really don't need to get out and do this. It's being done so much more skilfully by these Bulgarian dancers who performed at the Castle Garden in Vienna, Austria, during an international folk-dance contest. Of course the dance is a quaint bit their ancestors did before them.

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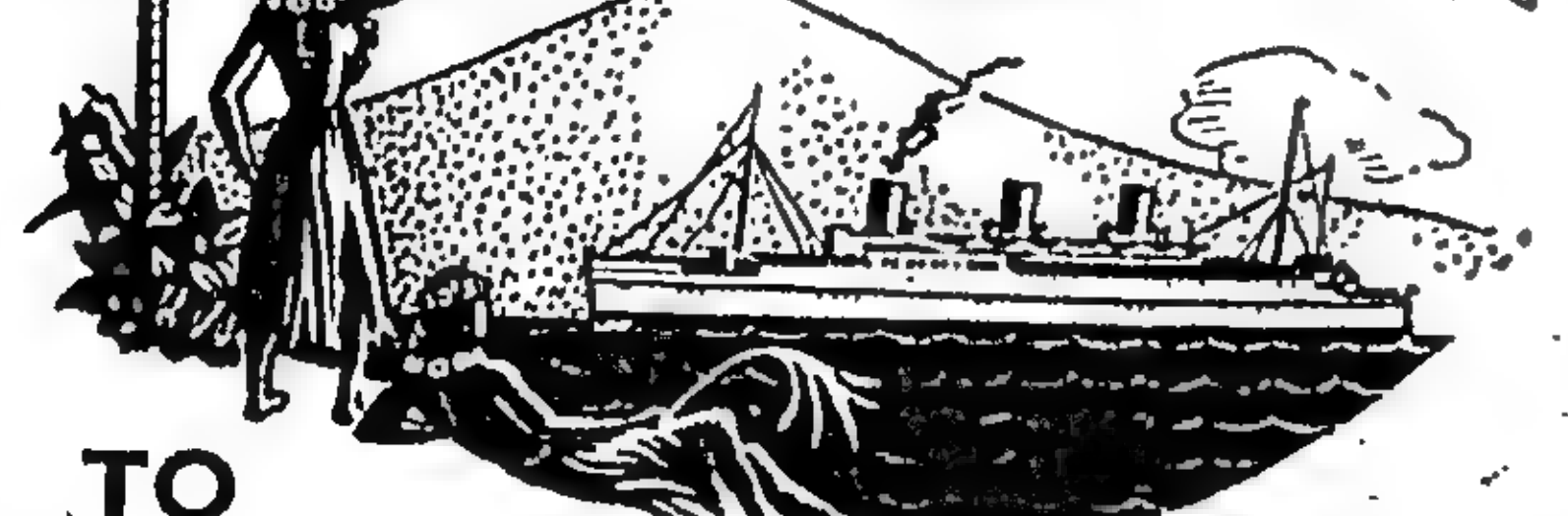
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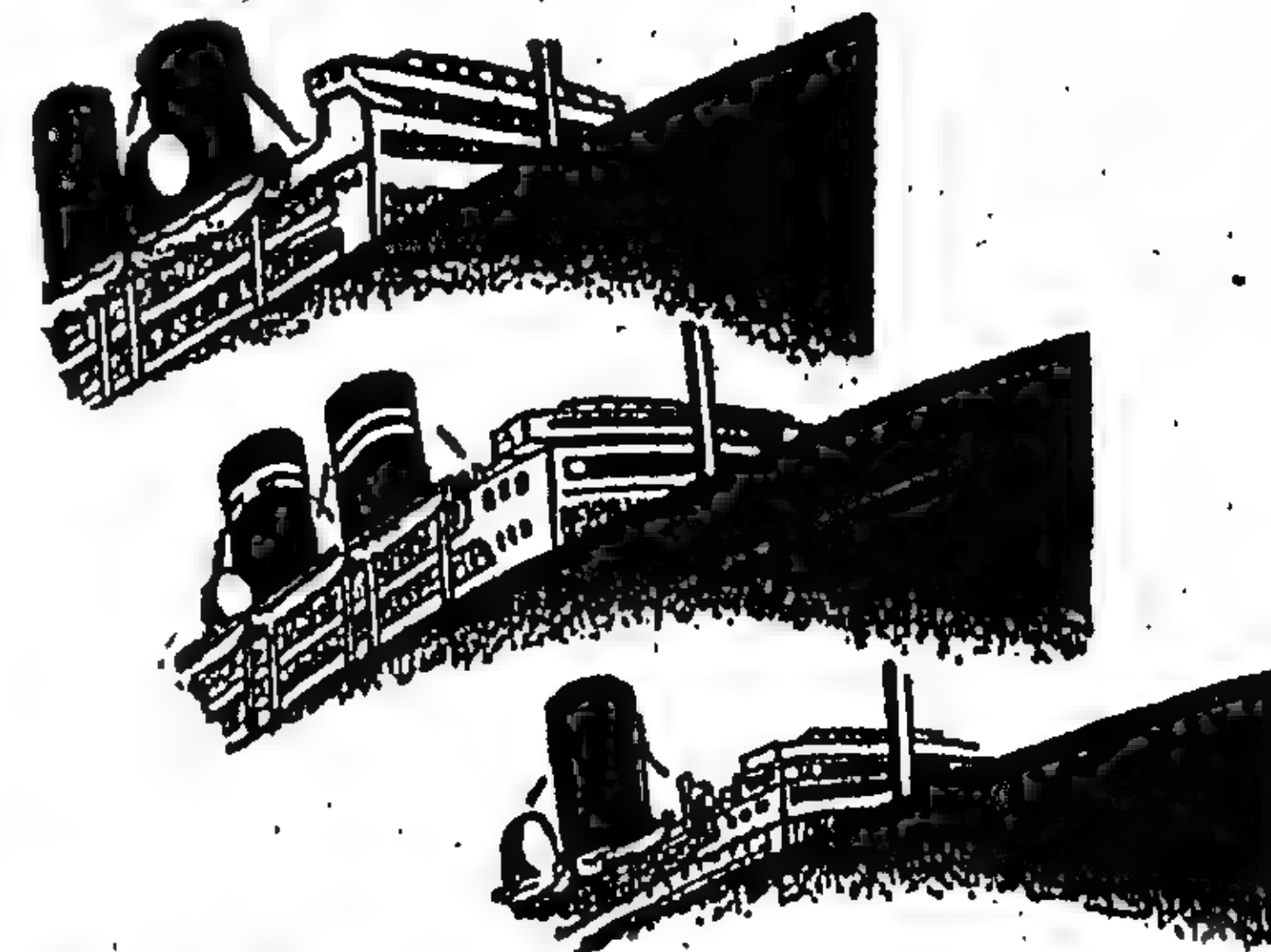
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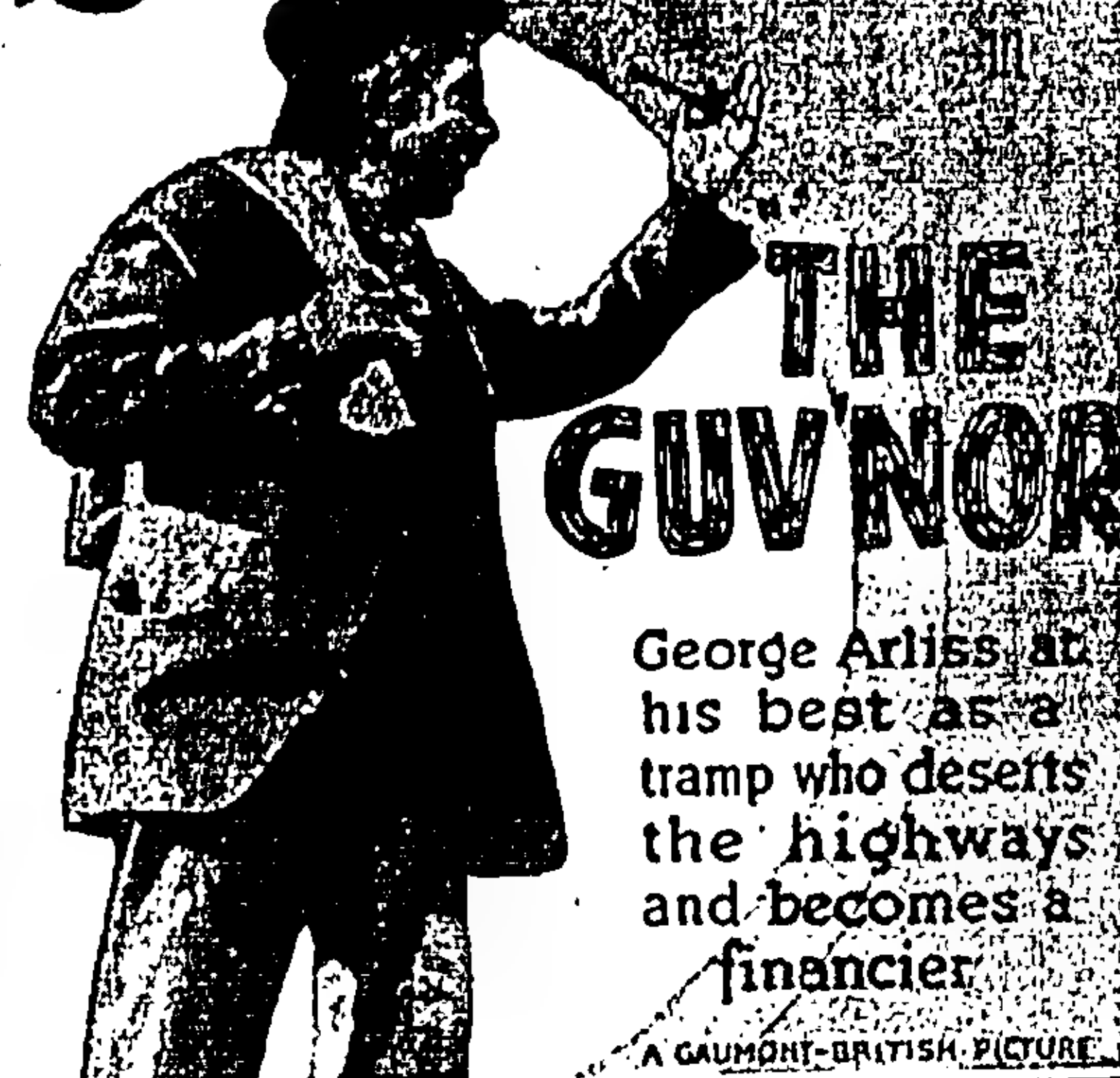


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## MODERN MEDICAL TREATMENT

### Study Of Hereditary Diseases

The sections of the British Medical Association began their meetings yesterday in Belfast.

A joint meeting was held by the sections of Medicine and Pathology, Bacteriology and Immunology, the subject of discussion being "The Haemorrhagic States."

Dr. L. J. Wills opened the discussion. He was, he said, increasingly impressed by the frequency and diversity of hereditary haemorrhagic diseases and by their resistance to treatment. The study of hereditary diseases in man had been vitiated by premature dogmatism and by the expectation of a constancy in the mode of inheritance which the student of genetics in plants and animals would from the first have thought improbable. Hereditary haemorrhagic states in man were not subject to immutable laws in pattern and pedigree, and it was wiser to think in terms of affected family groups than of specific diseases and laws of heredity. The hereditary haemorrhagic diseases provided some of the most pathetic cases.

The local application of conglutinated snake venoms was the only new treatment whose value had been confirmed. The venom of Russell's viper (1 in 10,000 solution) or of the Australian tiger snake (1 in 5,000 solution) had been chiefly used (Macfarlane and Barnett, 1934; Rosenfeld and Lenke, 1935). Loose clot was washed away from the bleeding point, and tampons or other appropriate dressings soaked in the venom solution were then applied. With the use of snake venom in haemophilia it was now possible to repair wounds or to carry out small operations such as dental extraction which would previously have been fatal.

#### OBSTETRICS AND GYNAECOLOGY

In the Section of Obstetrics and Gynaecology a paper was read by Dr. G. F. Gibberd on "Protonil and Similar Compounds in the Treatment of Puerperal Haemolytic Streptococcus Infections."

He said that the new aniline derivatives had been employed at Queen Charlotte's Hospital since 1936; in the doses in which they had been given their use appeared to be free from serious danger and had been followed by a very great reduction in the mortality rate for haemolytic streptococcal infection. Analysis of the causes of this improvement in mortality rate showed that it was associated mainly with a decrease in the widespread invasion of tissues by the haemolytic streptococcus rather than with a greater tendency to resolution of the disease once widespread invasion of tissues had occurred. This feature made it necessary to consider whether the improvement since January, 1936, was due to the efficacy of the treatment or whether it was due to a change in the virulence of the prevalent organism. It was possible that both factors might be concerned.

In non-fatal cases in which tissues beyond the limits of the haemolytic streptococcus there was some clinical evidence that the new drugs did actually hasten the resolution of the inflammatory process, and this was a good reason for believing that the treatment, rather than a change in the virulence of the organism, was responsible for the improvement in this respect. While he was unwilling to guess how far the new drugs had been responsible for the undoubted improvement which had followed their clinical use, there was every reason to continue to employ them until their value or otherwise was firmly established.

#### RESPONSE TO DRUGS

The Section of Pharmacology and Therapeutics dealt with "Individual Variation in Response to Drugs," the discussion being opened by Dr. A. J. Clark.

Individual variation, he said, was an unattractive subject because its existence constituted a limitation to therapeutic measures of an annoying and irrational character. If a therapeutic method had produced satisfactory results in a dozen cases it seemed irrational that the same technique should have an undesirable effect in the next case on which it was tried. It seemed probable that the extent of individual variation was consistently under-estimated, because if an individual representing an extreme variation happened to be encountered in a small group the result was apt to be discounted as an accident. The evidence available suggested, however, that whenever it was possible to measure quantitatively the effects produced by a drug in a large population an orderly distribution of variation in response was revealed. If this was the case, then the laws of probability indicated that if very large populations were studied occasional individuals would show very wide deviations from the mean response. These exceptional individuals were undoubtedly a nuisance from the clinical standpoint, but their existence had to be recognized.

#### THE GLANDS

In the Section of Anatomy, Physiology, and Biochemistry there was a



President Eamon De Valera of the Irish Free State, who failed to get an absolute majority in the recent Free State elections.

### 9 WOMEN GET PENSIONS ONE WROTE THE WORLD'S LONGEST POEM

THE woman who wrote the longest poem in the world, Miss Katherine Margaret Buck; Miss "Cicely Hamilton," actress, dramatist, novelist, journalist; Mr. Arnold Dolmetsch, learned in old music and old musical instruments; are among 15 men and women recipients of Civil List pensions, announced recently.

Miss Buck's poem is "The Wayland Dietrich Saga," a retelling of the legends relating to Wayland Smith.

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The Political Correspondent writes: These Civil List grants come under the old scale of pensions, for it was not until June 1 that the most recent Civil List Bill got its third reading in the House of Commons. Under the Bill next year's grants will amount to £2,000, instead of this year's total of £1,200.

### Won Bride at Bachelor Club

The Bachelors' Club is not what it was. No longer does it cost members a fine of £100 and loss of membership if they get married, and there is even a women's annex.

But a marriage fine of two guineas still exists, and tradition dies so hard that members continue to think twice before they "pop the question."

What, then, will be the consternation of the bachelors when they learn that one of their number has not only had the boldness to propose on the premises—but has been accepted there!

This shatterer of precedent is handsome Mr. Robert Arbutnot Hunter, 20-years-old Oxford graduate, man-about-town, and solicitor, of Milner-street, Cadogan-square, S.W., who is to marry Miss Melanie Grant, aged 23, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Grant, of Denver, Colorado.

### FUTURE OF SHIPPING

An official statement in the following terms was issued by the Chamber of Shipping recently under the heading of "Tramp Freight Cooperation":

Following the request of the Government that the industry would so organize itself as to ensure that the system of freight cooperation, administered under the undertakings given on behalf of the industry to that effect, the Tramp Shipping Administrative Committee (to whom the task was entrusted by the Chamber of Shipping) have for some time been working on a scheme for cooperation, devised and controlled by the industry itself containing a sanction to secure its uniform and effective operation. The main object of this scheme would be to continue and develop the co-operation administered during the subsidy period by the Tramp Shipping Administrative Committee and its Sub-Committee including the observance of minimum freight rates and conditions, standard forms of charter and National Maritime Board Agreements, and the regulation of tonnage to prevent excessive accumulation in particular markets.

The scheme was submitted to a representative meeting of owners of British deep sea tramp tonnage of 2,500 tons gross and upwards held at the Chamber on July 23. At that meeting the general principles underlying the scheme were explained by the chairman, Sir Vernon Thomson, and it was carefully considered in outline. The meeting unanimously accepted the principle of continuing co-operation in the industry on a voluntary basis and decided that further study should be given to details of the scheme, with a view to a final decision as to its precise form, in the early autumn. The scheme would be required to come into operation at the conclusion of the current year during which the subsidy administration is still operative, but would not operate until the owners of 90 per cent. of British tramp tonnage concerned are certified to have subscribed to it. It would continue until December 31, 1939, unless sooner determined by the industry itself.

Meetings were held in the morning and afternoon, the earlier meeting being concerned more with principles and the afternoon meeting more with points of detail.

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INQUEST ON CONTRACTOR KILLED BY LANDSLIDE

Death by misadventure was the verdict returned by a Coroner's jury at the Kowloon Magistrate's court yesterday, at the close of an inquest on a contractor who was crushed in a landslide in Argyle Street on July 18. Mr. E. H. Himsforth, first Kowloon Magistrate, sat as Coroner, and was assisted by a jury comprising Messrs. K. K. Rounds (Foreman), H. P. C. Poon and Leung Hung-fan.

Detective Sergeant James Forrest was present for the police.

It was stated in evidence that the contractor, Ho Shu, aged 40, was the master of the Tung Yick Wai Company, which on July 18, was working on a granite quarry in Argyle Street, near Waterloo Road. Heavy rain fell that day, and after a blast was made at 5 p.m., the contractor, with several stonebreakers, went to the spot, and preparations were made for another blast to take place the next day.

Suddenly the hillside caved in, and the contractor was buried in a quantity of decomposed rock and earth. The stonebreakers were only slightly injured, and managed to uncover the contractor, who was found lying face downwards over the sharp edge of a granite rock. He was still living, but died before the arrival of an ambulance.

A post mortem was held by Dr. G. H. Henry the next day. Death was due to multiple injuries, shock and haemorrhage. Both the contractor's legs were broken and deeply cut, his pelvis was fractured, and two ribs were broken.

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### Great Concentration Of Men And Machines At Changping

Shanghai, Aug. 11 (1.05 p.m.).

In a message filed by the United Press chief correspondent with the heavy Japanese concentrations at Changping, despatched at 10 p.m. yesterday and only just received, it is stated that the Japanese offensive against the well-fortified Chinese positions in Nankow Pass is scheduled to start at dawn to-day.

The Japanese front line, according to the Changping despatch just to hand, forms a huge quarter circle a few miles west and north of Changping and includes a strong force at the site of the famous Ming Tombs.

A Chinese resident of Changping, quoting farmer refugees, said portions of the 89th, 84th and 25th Division of the Chinese Army were holding positions facing the Japanese.

Another correspondent, arriving at Changping, having passed through the Japanese lines, estimates there are nearly 4,000 Japanese troops in this vicinity.

General Ishida's advance headquarters have been established seven miles east of Nankow, but the Staff Captain who has charge of correspondents regretfully informed them that he was unable to allow them to visit the front lines. He intimated the attack was commencing very shortly.

Usually well-informed but unofficial sources are given to understand that strong, new Japanese demands, based on the Hungjiao incident of Monday, when two Japanese naval men were shot to death, only await the arrival of Japanese warships at Shanghai before they are presented.

Twenty warships have left Japan for Shanghai, according to reports, during the last 24 hours.—United Press.

#### Heavy Concentration

Peking, Aug. 11 (11.30 a.m.).  
The Japanese are moving up the Peking-Suiyuan railroad and concentrating powerful forces at Changping, a short distance south of Nankow Pass, where a large force of Chinese troops is reported to be entrenched.

From the United Press correspondent at Changping comes the story that great cauldrons carrying ammunition are proceeding to the concentration point. Between two 30-truck strings of these ammunition trucks 24 tanks were counted, with 17 heavy field guns and howitzers, and hundreds of carts of small arms, ammunition, light artillery, and machine-guns.

A large portion of the Japanese garrison at Peking, including 40 tanks, has moved up to Changping, behind the ammunition columns. United Press correspondents are proceeding to Changping from Peking, also. The troops of the garrison previously stationed at the Summer Palace, Chingho and Shaho, appear to be moving on Changping as well. Japanese operating on the Peking-Suiyuan line are using S.M.R. rolling stock and have already moved three troop trains of 18 cars each to Changping.—United Press.

#### Drive Imminent

Shanghai, Aug. 11 (1.24 a.m.).  
Predicting that a Japanese drive against Central Government troops in Chahar is imminent, the Central News Agency correspondent at Pao-

### All Chinese Prepare To Quit Japan

Shanghai, Aug. 11.  
The Chinese Press here reports that the Chinese Foreign Office has notified Chinese residents in Japan to concentrate at Yokohama, Kobe and Nagasaki, preparatory to returning to China. China is said to be chartering six Chinese vessels for the repatriation, whilst it is reported that Chinese nationals in Formosa, numbering 20,000, will also be evacuated as soon as possible.—United Press.

tingfu reports frequent skirmishing around Nankow Pass and Yenching, while Japanese infantry, cavalry, artillery, armoured cars and aircraft are being concentrated in the Peking-Suiyuan railway area. In the same direction the Chinese are concentrating large bodies of men, who, if not as well supported as the Japanese infantry by artillery and mechanised units, are nevertheless capable fighting men and superior in numbers. Chinese shot down a Japanese plane near Paoingfu in recent fighting.—(Continued on Page 4.)

### Joint Guard Set About Consulate

Peking, Aug. 11.  
The American, British, French, Italian and Japanese Embassy guards each despatched four men to patrol the Soviet Embassy, after the Soviet Counsellor announced that a dozen White Russians, belonging to the gang which allegedly raided the Tientsin Consulate recently had left for Peking.

It is reported that these men apparently intend to join the White Guard group organised here a month ago, reputedly under the direction of Ataman Semenov, who has been living in Dairen since he left Siberia. The Legation Quarter gates are most closely guarded, only diplomats being allowed to enter and leave.—United Press.

### STOP PRESS

### Whitehall Silent On Expulsion

But Berlin Makes Open Charges

### Nazi Spy Ring In England?

London, Aug. 11.

While Whitehall maintains complete secrecy concerning the reasons prompting the expulsion of three German journalists from Britain, the diplomatic correspondents of newspapers are more outspoken.

The Daily Herald declares Herr Hitler's organisation in England, which is said to include more than 500 agents, has an "inner ring" operating at Bayswater, at the head of which are the expelled journalists. The agents' task was to watch, shadow and report on Germans in England.—Reuter.

#### FURTHER EXPULSIONS

Berlin, Aug. 10.

An official statement with respect to the question of expulsion of the London Times' chief correspondent from Germany, issued to-day, discloses that the British Government has been formally requested to use its influence with the newspaper concerned to recall Mr. Norman Ebbutt within a fortnight, otherwise his permit to remain in Germany will be cancelled.

The measure is necessary, it is stated, because Mr. Ebbutt for years has performed his work only in a spirit hostile to Germany, thus abusing the hospitality granted him.

Further measures against British journalists in Berlin are apparently foreshadowed by an article in Boersen Zeitung, usually close to official opinion. This newspaper states that again and again Germany has postponed measures of the sort now contemplated solely in the interests of relations between Germany and Britain and in the quest for peace between the two countries. In view of the British action in expelling three German correspondents, Germany naturally has no reason to postpone measures which long ago were proved urgently necessary.

The newspaper adds that it may be taken for granted that the measures taken against Mr. Ebbutt will be preferred against further correspondents who do not content themselves with their journalistic work.—(Continued on Page 4.)

### LABOUR LEADER PASSES

Mr. John Hodge Had Long Record Of Fine Service

London, Aug. 11.

The Rt. Hon. Mr. John Hodge died here to-day.

A Minister of Labour in a war-Cabinet, Mr. Hodge was one of the best known Labour figures in Britain during the early years of the Labour Party's activity. In 1905 he was elected to the Gorton Division, Lancashire, and he remained in the House of Commons until 1923.

He took an active part in the formation of conciliation boards for the prevention of trade disputes and he was a noted lecturer on social and religious questions.

After serving as Minister of Labour, 1916-1917, Mr. Hodge was appointed Minister of Pensions, which post he held until 1919.

He was retired President of the British Steel Smelters' Mill, Iron, Tinplate and Kindred Trades Association.

Mr. Hodge was 82 years of age.—Reuter.

### INFLUX OF GOLD TO U.S. ENDS

But Sterilisation Will Continue

Washington, Aug. 10.

President Roosevelt told the Press to-day he had heard of no plan to suspend the gold sterilisation programme.

Earlier the Federal Reserve had announced the inflow of European gold had virtually ceased since early July, due to the dollar price in London. It is estimated that present amount of gold on the market is under \$500,000,000 in value.

The readjustment of the French financial crisis halted the flow of gold from France, it was stated.

Since September, 1936, it is estimated, more than \$1,000,000,000 in gold from private holdings has been converted, leaving considerably less than \$1,000,000,000 of hoarded metal, half of which is probably in India and the remainder concentrated in London. This is the first time any estimate of hoardings has been made public.—United Press.

### Hongkong Boy Accidentally Shot Himself

Inquest Verdict In Tragic Case Of James Smith

It is now learned that Mr. James Smith, 24-year-old son of Mr. J. Smith, Chief Mechanical Engineer of the Kowloon Canton Railway, met his death as a result of a revolver shot in the stomach.

Mr. Smith was on engineer on the S.S. Talyuan, joining the B. & S. ship on Wednesday when she sailed for Shanghai. His death was reported on Saturday, the cause being given as a fall, during rough weather.

It is now learned that an inquest was conducted on board ship by Mr. Martin, British Consul, when the Talyuan put in at Amoy on Friday. As a result of the inquest a verdict of accidental death was found. The unfortunate man was apparently cleaning his own loaded revolver when it went off and inflicted a fatal wound in the stomach. The funeral took place at Amoy.

### Peak Tram Held Up By Landslide

As the result of a landslide just below the Barker Road station, the Peak Tramway service was brought to a standstill yesterday.

The last tram to make the journey yesterday was the 1.50 p.m., and the stoppage caused considerable inconvenience to Peak residents, many of whom had to make the trip by motor-car, as did numbers of business men this morning.

The clearing of the track is now proceeding, and it is hoped that the work will be completed and the service resumed at 5 p.m. to-day.

### ROBBERS STEAL SIX PIGS

An armed robbery is reported to have occurred at Chai Wan, Shaikwan, in the early hours of this morning.

According to Ho Pui, a vegetable gardener, he was sleeping with his master, Lau Loh, in a pig-sty on the foreshore of Chai Wan when, at about 1 a.m., he was awakened by a man holding his throat. Lau was similarly treated by four other men, and both of them were tied up and gagged. The robbers took away six pigs and escaped in a boat.

### BUSY DAYS FOR AIR MINISTRY



LORD SWINTON

As head of the Air Ministry, Lord Swinton is watching with keen interest the evolutions of the Royal Air Force which is simultaneously attacking and defending London. The defence has been particularly sound, four out of the five raiding craft having been engaged by the fast interceptor fighters.

### "RAIDING" BOMBERS ENGAGED

Few Pass London Air Defenders

London, Aug. 11.

Four out of five of the bombers raiding London last night during the biggest Royal Air Force manoeuvres ever staged, were tackled by fast interceptor fighters, according to an Air Ministry communique issued to-day.

It adds that 49 raids were made by single aircraft and small formations on targets at Enfield, Walthamstow and Kidbrooke, and also on North-east and East London.

The raiders were frequently picked up by searchlight, enabling the fighters to intercept them more quickly and nearly 80 per cent. of the raiders were attacked before they reached their targets.

About 90 combats occurred, and in the majority of cases the raiders were intercepted more than once. Owing to unfavourable weather to-night's exercises will be postponed until to-morrow.—Reuter.

### QUEZON RETURNS TO EAST

Laying Foundation Of Independence

Shanghai, Aug. 11.

Travelling back to the Philippine Islands to lay the groundwork of independence, Senator Manuel Quezon and a combined commission of leading American and Filipino officials, headed by Mr. John MacMurray, former U. S. Minister to China, arrived in Shanghai by President Hoover to-day.

Senator Quezon stated he hoped the "separatory commission" would bring down a report which would be acceptable to both American and Philippine governments.

Explaining the aim of the commission, Mr. MacMurray said: "We seek economic adjustment which will avoid tumbling the Philippines off the cliff economically speaking, when given independence."

He explained complete independence would be given the islands in 1946, under the present arrangement.—Reuter.

#### BRITISH FINANCES

London, Aug. 10.

Exchequer returns show that total ordinary revenue amounts to £215,627,473, compared with £201,524,180 at the corresponding date of last year. Total expenditure, other than self-balancing items, is £301,504,090, compared with £282,865,048 at the corresponding date of 1936.—British Wireless.

### Insurgents Preparing For Drive

Italians Reported Massing South Of Toledo

### Britain Demands Ships' Release

Madrid, Aug. 10.

Italian troops moving northwards to the Toledo front have been bombed mercilessly by Loyalist aeroplanes. It was disclosed to-day.

The Italians, it is stated, were sighted south of Toledo, moving in great numbers towards the front lines 45 miles south of Madrid.

Considerable activity all along the insurgent front is taken here to mean that the Jarama River sector, south of Madrid, may be the scene of the next smash.

Reports of disaffection behind the insurgent lines continue to reach Madrid.—United Press.

#### WERE PLANES DISGUISED?

Hendaye, Aug. 10.

Replying to British protests against the recent bombing of the steamer British Corporal off Algiers, General Francisco Franco, insurgent chief, has charged that Russian planes bearing insurgent markings, deliberately set upon neutral shipping in the hope of provoking an incident.

Meanwhile the insurgent courts have declared the British ships Candlestone Castle and Mirapano "good prizes," since they were violating the blockade, but has not given a decision respecting the steamer Molton, also seized.—United Press.

#### PEREMPTORY DEMAND

London, Aug. 10.

The British Government has presented the insurgent Government in Spain with a peremptory demand for the release of the three British merchantmen, Molton, Candlestone Castle and Mirapano, all of which were taken in Loyalist waters.

No time limit for action was made, but the necessity for immediate steps is stressed.—United Press.

#### FALSE REPORTS

London, Aug. 10.

In view of certain reports regarding interviews alleged to have been given to the press by the international observing officer who was injured during an attack from the air on August 8, made against the Italian ship Mongiolo, the International Non-Intervention Board issued a considered statement to-night that it considered it necessary to state that no communication of any kind has been made to the press by the observing officer or by any other officer of the Board.—British Wireless.

### British Health Services

How Government Aids Poorer Districts

London, Aug. 10.

Local financial returns for the year 1934-1935 have just been published by the Ministry of Health. The figures clearly show that it is largely by the help of Government grants that local authorities, especially in the poorer areas, are able to maintain good standards in health and other social services. Out of every £100 of expenditure falling on public funds in an average county borough, just over £30 is met, not out of rates, but out of grants from the national exchequer. In one case, this figure rises to £80.

In the administrative counties, especially rural areas where agricultural land pays no rates, the proportion from exchequer grants is still higher. The average is £47, but in 47 out of 62 counties it is over £50 and in the Isle of Ely, Huntingdon, Montgomery and Rutland it is over £70. The proportion is the lowest in the prosperous counties of the south-east, London being lowest of all.—British Wireless.

#### QUIT'S LEAGUE

Geneva, Aug. 10.

Salvatore has withdrawn from the League of Nations, making the excuse of lack of funds.—Reuter.



# Routine For Make-Up

ELSIE SCOTT

tells you here  
a famous Hollywood  
expert's method

**H**OWEVER much we think we know there is always somebody who knows more. That is why fully qualified doctors continue their hospital work, or specialise in some particular branch of medicine.

And that's why actresses who have "arrived" still take singing and dancing lessons.

The reason, too, that I decided to spend a few hours in the London salon of a famous Hollywood make-up expert the other day. I wanted to refresh my knowledge.

How do you apply cream, powder and lipstick? Well never mind. Just read the result of my visit.

The expert's first principles are:  
1. Powder should match the skin.  
2. Lipstick should be of the same tone as the natural colour of the lips.  
3. Rouge should harmonise with the colour in the cheeks. He calls it "colour harmony."

**N**OW for the method. Cleansing cream is wiped off again with a cleansing tissue. A lotion is applied next. If the skin is dry or normal (and there are more dry skins than oily ones, believe me), a skin freshener is used. If it is greasy, an astringent is dabbed over the surface.

Then comes the foundation. Again, the condition of the skin is studied. For a dry or normal skin a blender is chosen; if greasy, a special cream. You don't put it haphazardly all over the skin. A tiny dab is placed on each cheek



These are the rules:  
Blue shadows for the blonde.  
Brown for brown, hazel, or green eyes with little specks of brown in them. At night a green eyeshadow gives an exotic effect.

After the eye shadow comes the rouge.

It is patted on with a puff, not rubbed in. A tiny triangular dab is put on the high point of each cheek and then brought down to follow the natural curve of the bone. Comix it into the full parts of the cheeks and soften the edges.

Rouge should be taken very faintly to the outer corner of the lower eyelid. The white space between eye and cheekbone is thus hidden and a more natural look achieved.

To make a round face appear oval, bring the colour downward to the full part of the cheek and so diminish the high light in the middle of the face.

Should you have a thin face keep the colour away from the nose and middle of the face and persuade it outward to the full part of the cheek.

Are your cheekbones too high?

bone first, then one on the forehead and the last on the chin.

This is called the "five point touch."

It is softened gently over the entire face and then removed to make sure the skin is smooth. So many women leave too much on the skin, and that gives a thick and uneven appearance when the powder goes on.

If you have dark lines under the eyes a suspicion of the blender is placed there. It takes away the hard line and the face looks rounder and more youthful.

**WE** are ready for the finishing touches.

Eyeshadow with a creamy base is used as it is easier to mingle with the foundation.

## Beauty Bureau

"FLORENCE F."

Whenever I have a sea and sun holiday I am troubled with little blisters on the lips. Afterwards they turn to horrid little scabs. They are not in the least serious but they invariably disfigure me for about ten days, just when I want to look my best. Is there any remedy or means of preventing this rash?

These small water blisters are caused by the action of the salt water and sun on certain skins.

The only thing you can do is to smear some protecting cream round the lips before bathing or sitting in the sun. Wipe it off afterwards with a pad of soft cotton-wool or a cleansing tissue. Use a foundation cream and apply powder and protect the face as much as possible from the direct rays of the sun. The lotion you mention is largely recommended for sunburn and its attendant irritations.

"N. H."

I am only 22 and am I getting desperate about a growth of strong, dark hair on my arms, legs, face and on my chest. Do you think this can be caused by any medical disorder and can a doctor help?

An abnormally strong growth of superfluous hair, such as you mention, may be due to some health

## SHORT SKIRT REVIVAL

**S**HORTER and tighter skirts are the lot of women this season, and many of the newest reach only to about two inches below the knees, and although many break into loose plaits, some can scarcely be lighter without crippling the wearer.

Only recently there bounded into the fashion scheme that little girl skirt which has been argued on and off the boards for several years. It reaches to just below the knees and the girls like it. It wraps comfortably and it opens at the lower left side, near the knee. There are several versions of the short skirt which are altogether in keeping with the lines of the abbreviated summer jacket. One is a tight affair to just below the knees, and to make walking possible, it is slashed to a depth of three or five inches precisely at the centre back, which openings in walking give a pant-leg effect.

## When Meat Is Tough

"TOUGH and tasteless," declares a housewife, indignantly, of meat that has proved an unpalatable dish. And though the butcher may reply with a perplexed "Can't understand it, Ma'am," he often knows perfectly well that nothing but careful cooking can have spoiled the very excellent joint for which he is held accountable.

"Oh, I just pop it in the oven" you may, perhaps, hear an experienced cook say airily. And the novice, tasting the admirable result of this apparently simple treatment, imagines that there is nothing more to be learnt about the preparation of meat for the table. Never was there a bigger mistake. The expert cook does not deal so summarily even with the prime cuts of meat, and would certainly never dream of omitting the preparatory processes by which the interior joints can be served in a tender and tasty condition.

"For to-day's cooking" is a reminder to the reliable butcher that meat should not be sent straight from the ice, nor without being properly hung. In warm weather, however, the meat is often sold in a chilled condition, and to put it in the pot or the oven without first "thawing" it is to make it tough and tasteless. Chilled meat should be covered with cold water, never warm, for at least half an hour before cooking it, and even meat that has not been chilled is made more tender by lying in cold water for about twenty minutes.

Beet to Make Tender

"Vinegar," said an expert cook, when asked to suggest a remedy for tough meat, and the housewife who once adopts the plan of applying a little vinegar and water, or vinegar and salad oil, to meat before cooking it, will be highly satisfied with the result.

It is best to wash the meat as soon as it comes into the house and then to soak it with a tablespoonful, each, of vinegar and water, or preferably vinegar and salad oil, rubbing in the mixture with the back of a wooden spoon. Steak, topside of beef, or mutton that may, possibly, not be very tender, answers admirably to this softening treatment. Lamb chops are made delicious by squeeze of lemon juice before they are cooked.

The softening and breaking up of the meat fibre is, of course, the object of the oil and vinegar treatment. The result is further improved by beating out steak and other possibly tough meat with a rollingpin or mallet.

The juices that make meat tender must never be allowed to escape when cooking, unless the intention is to make soup. A few minutes fast cooking to harden the outside is essential, no matter whether the meat is to be roasted, boiled, or stewed. A coating of flour also helps to seal the pores, and should always be given to meat intended for pies, puddings, or stews.

If a fork is used to turn meat in cooking, it should be stuck into the fat, for, if the fibre is pierced, the juices will flow, and the meat will lose its flavour and tenderness.

W. S.

Then be sparing with rouge. Blend it sparsely on the highlight of the cheek-bone, smooth it downward and away from the indentations.

If you are unfortunate enough to have hollow cheeks keep it away from the hollows where it acts as a shadow and it will counteract this natural shadow. The cheeks treated so appear fuller and the contour of the face is rounded.

**F**INALLY the powder.

Use a velvet puff and the powder lavishly. Start at the lower jaw and work up the cheeks; pat it up towards the middle of the face and on to the brow. Powder the nose last. Press the powder lightly into the lines around nose, eyes, mouth and chin.

The face is thickly coated with powder. It should not be rubbed off, but brushed away lightly with the soft-bristled, curved brush this expert invented for the purpose, and which you can see sketched on this page.

Eyebrows are marked with a pencil, not in one hard line, but sketched in with light, short strokes.

Lashes are darkened with a soft eye brown or black applied with a little brush.

Lipstick is painted on with a brush, and the colour placed well inside the lips to avoid hardness.

Remember that lipstick will not adhere to wet lips. They should be dried first. Paint the upper lip round the natural shape, press it on to the lower lip and then fill in the outlines with the brush. Place a cleansing tissue between them and press the lips together to remove surplus colour. Now moisten the lips and your mouth should look perfectly symmetrical.

I wish you could have seen the finished face, fresh from the expert's ministrations, you would certainly make up your own face in future according to these rules.

## Bridge Gives You Away

**I** THINK marriage is a dreadful risk, sighed a friend the other day, "if only there were some infallible method of finding out if a man will make a good husband!" "Play bridge with him!" retorted her cynical companion. "If he survives that ordeal, he will come safely through anything!"

It is a strange fact that bridge reveals all the little "kinks" in our nature that at other times we keep jealously hidden. We pride ourselves on our evenness of temper, but a foolish lead by our partner will make us snap at him or her. We boast of our patience, but let a player hesitate for a few seconds over a call or a lead and we frown and fidget like spoiled children. I have watched a few games when I have not been playing myself, and I have come to the conclusion that if a film producer could secretly take an exact record of some of the things that actually happen at presumably well conducted bridge parties, he would make a fortune by showing it as a comedy!

For instance, four people arranged to begin playing bridge at nine o'clock one evening. At 10 p.m. they were still arguing about the conventions they should use and exactly what was meant if someone called "Three hearts" without a single card of that suit in his hand. By 10.30 they had completed one rubber, and then the argument broke out afresh. One of the losers maintained that if his partner had had the elementary sense to show his hearts when calling the last hand, they would have saved the game, and would have probably won the rubber in the end. At 11.15 the party broke up, without another hand having been played, and the four friends are now enemies! That was an extreme case, but it just happened that four experts at "conference bridge" came together. Usually there is never more than one "conference" bridge expert at each table, and though he does his best to turn the game into a debate, he flizzes out in time through lack of opponents' worthy of his verbal shafts.

**The Unwritten Law**  
It would be a fitting punishment for such people to be condemned to play old-fashioned whist with old-fashioned partners who insisted on keeping to the strictest letter of the unwritten law that the game must be played in silence! An even more irritating player—generally a woman—is the exponent

Of course, everyone has met the players of bandit bridge. They are out, frankly to make an income from cards. Before play commences they are simply charming, and the deprecating waves of the hand assure you that they are not really much good but do so enjoy an occasional argument broke out afresh. One of the losers maintained that if his partner had had the elementary sense to show his hearts when calling the last hand, they would have saved the game, and would have probably won the rubber in the end. At 11.15 the party broke up, without another hand having been played, and the four friends are now enemies! That was an extreme case, but it just happened that four experts at "conference bridge" came together. Usually there is never more than one "conference" bridge expert at each table, and though he does his best to turn the game into a debate, he flizzes out in time through lack of opponents' worthy of his verbal shafts.

Finally, there is the win-at-all-costs player. She—this player is always a woman—will make mistakes that are always in her own favour; she will unblushingly revoke when in a tight corner, and, if challenged, make everyone else feel they are in the wrong.

Fortunately the win-at-all-costs player is a rare type, but bridge does exaggerate weaknesses. I have known men who could not behave like gentlemen at the card table although on any other occasion they were perfect. But then I have known men who could not keep their sense of proportion about pictures, music, or food!

J. V.



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# REGAINING THEIR LOST TRADE

## European Firms In Singapore Benefit From Troubles In North China

### Lawrence Wright & His Wife

#### £5,000 GIFT SETS A PROBLEM

THE sum of £5,000 which Mr. Lawrence Wright, famous composer and publisher of music, gave to his actress-wife, formerly Miss Betty Warren, at Monte Carlo, set a problem for Judge Sir William Cunniff at Westminster County Court recently.

Mr. Wright, who gave his address as Vile-close, Maiden Vale, W., and Mrs. Wright were sued separately by Mr. John Curnock, a Wimpole-street dentist, for £27 6s. in respect of treatment to Mrs. Wright.

Mr. Wright stated in evidence that he was married in 1933 and lived with his wife until about July 1936.

£1,500 GIFT  
He gave his wife £15 a week and on one occasion—at Monte Carlo—he gave her between £1,300 and £1,500. After this she had no authority to pledge his credit.

Cross-examined, he said that about 1933 he was interested in the Princes Theatre and lost £75,000. He denied that in 1935 his income was about £20,000 a year, and said it was about £2,000 or £3,000.

He agreed that he sometimes gambled, entertained a good deal at West End restaurants, and sometimes occupied a suite at the Dorchester.

It was not as a result of a quarrel that he gave his wife the £1,500. "WON AT CASINO"

Mrs. Wright, in the witness box, said her husband did not live only on the scale of a £2,000 or £3,000 man. The £1,500 gift he had won at the Casino.

It was ridiculous to say that the £1,500 had been given to augment her weekly allowance.

Judge Cunniff said it seemed improbable that these two people should choose Monte Carlo, of all places, to go into housekeeping problems, and he was disposed to accept the evidence of Mrs. Wright.

He gave judgment against Mr. Wright.



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NATURE'S OWN LAXATIVE

EUROPEAN firms in Singapore are making a big effort to regain their trade lost as the direct result of Japanese competition, according to an experienced Chinese merchant, who has watched the fluctuations of the trade of the European concerns over four decades.

A local European firm has received so many orders for hardware and mild steel that it cannot promise delivery of some of the late orders until early next year.

The Chinese traders in Singapore have not started an anti-Japanese boycott, but owing to the uncertain conditions they have all ceased ordering fresh supplies from Japan. Local Japanese firms are being asked to cancel standing orders until further notice.

Building contractors who have been getting some of their supplies from Japan, are now ordering their supplies from Europe through local firms.

URGENT MEETING  
The Chinese Chamber of Commerce, Singapore, is calling an urgent meeting to which representatives of over 150 Chinese public bodies, district guilds, clubs, associations and hongs are invited to discuss measures to raise funds for the relief of the war victims and refugees in China.

The Chamber will also urge the Chinese leaders of the various sections of the Chinese community to ask their clansmen to abstain from any violence or to do anything that may not be consistent to the peace and order in the Colony.

### Man Attacks Girl In Train Then Leaps To Death

A VEILED 20-years-old girl, who was addressed by the coroner as Miss "X," wept at an inquest at Southwark, S.E., recently.

Precautions were taken to prevent the girl's identity being disclosed. She was escorted into the court by policemen through a side door, and she left the same way.

The inquest was on Robert Henry Hall, an ex-soldier, aged 28, of Dacstreet, Bermondsey, S.E.

Miss "X," raven-haired and attractive, who is employed in London, said that 10.30 p.m. last Friday she entered a first-class compartment of a train at Catford Bridge, S.E. She was alone.

#### PULLED THE CORD

As the train was moving out of New Cross Station a man stumbled into the carriage.

Her voice dropped to a whisper as she continued her evidence, and the coroner, Mr. A. Douglas Cowburn, after saying that he did not want details, asked: "He attacked you?"

Miss "X": Yes.

There was a struggle, but eventually she was able to pull the communication cord.

William J. Holmes, of Dartford, the guard, said that as the train stopped he saw a girl hanging out of a coach and screaming.

"GUARD, SAVE ME!"

He went along the line and the girl said, "Guard, save me! This man has insulted me."

Holmes continued: "I told the man to sit down and he did so for a while. I said to the girl, 'I will stay with you to London, and the train started again.'

Suddenly the man dealt me a blow on the jaw and clutched me by the throat, and I am certain, his intention was to throw me on to the lines.

"The girl gripped the man by the collar and pulled the communication cord a second time.

"The train stopped and the man jumped out of the compartment. A second train was approaching, going in the same direction as ours, and the man was struck by this train.

"I am certain he did not throw himself in front, but tried to jump clear."

Summing up Mr. Cowburn said: The girl's statements indicate she was the victim of a determined, wicked, brutal, cowardly assault. I did not go into details as I wanted to spare her.

"When Hall made a violent assault on the guard, the girl, shaken and upset as she must have been, went to the guard's assistance. I think you will agree that she showed remarkable pluck."

The jury returned a verdict of Death by Misadventure while trying to evade arrest, and commended the girl's pluck in helping the guard.



TO TEST NEW BALLOON—Dr. Jean Picard, famed stratosphere explorer, is shown with the gondola of a new type, with which he hopes to ascend to new heights soon, near Rochester, Minn. Instead of a single balloon, a cluster of about 80 small rubber balloons filled with hydrogen will be attached to the gondola. The cluster is said to have greater lifting power for their weight.

## SECOND WIFE PAYS PEER'S BILLS

ROBERT Disney Leith, Baron Cobham, of Hill-street, W., described in the London Bankruptcy Court recently how he met a rich American widow with a view to marrying her, and how he had heard she was prepared to make him a cash payment of £5,000 and advance him a further £25,000 on the security of his promissory notes.

Depreciation in the value of his freehold property, Washington Hall, Peterborough, was said to be the cause of his failure. Accounts showed total liabilities of £11,639, of which £2,639 is expected to rank against assets £23.

Replying to Mr. H. H. Gaine, Senior Assistant Official Receiver, Lord Cobham said he succeeded as 16th baron to the title on his brother's death in 1933, but he derived no financial advantage therefrom.

#### LIVED ON LEGACY

For ten years before December 1934 he lived on the proceeds of a legacy from a relative, and thereafter he had had a voluntary allowance by his second wife.

His troubles had arisen through his association with one, Harry Shaw, whom he met in 1934. Shaw told him he could find him a number of directorships. He heard Shaw ring up a man called Richards and say, "Willie, I have a live lord here. He might be very useful."

He did not succeed in obtaining any directorships and received no fees at all. He was willing to undertake them, although he had nothing to offer in the way of experience.

Shaw suggested that he should assist him to find a rich woman with a view to marriage. Lord Cobham added that he met a rich American widow who was contemplating a second marriage.

He was prepared to enter into a matrimonial alliance with her, but at that time his first wife was threatening proceedings, and Shaw undertook negotiations to settle them.

#### GENERAL SETTLEMENT

Eventually there was a general settlement under which his first wife was paid £2,500 by the second wife in consideration of which the former surrendered bills for £14,750 previously given her, and a mortgage for £3,000. The settlement cost his second wife £12,000.

Shaw produced a number of documents and asked him to sign them. He thought they were promissory notes. Lord Cobham agreed that Mr. Shaw seemed to have feathered his nest very nicely.

Lord Cobham further stated that as part of the scheme he purchased Washington Hall and 50 acres of land for £15,000, which was raised on mortgage.

Shaw as the vendor agreed to continue to occupy the property at a rental sufficient to cover the mortgage interest, but defaulted in payment of the rent, and consequently Lord Cobham was unable to pay the mortgage interest.

The examination was concluded.

## Husband On Murder Charge

Glasgow, July 16.  
SHORTLY before midnight last night Mrs. Margaret Gilmour, aged 60, of Duke-street, Dennistoun, staggered from her flat with a deep wound in her face, and collapsed.

A neighbour, John Scallan, carried her back and found George Erick, aged 62, of Craigmare-street, Dennistoun, lying injured on the bedroom floor.

"SHE COULD NOT SPEAK"  
"Mrs. Gilmour staggered from her flat. She was wounded in the face and could not speak. I carried her back inside," Mr. Scallan told me to-night.

"I heard means coming from the bedroom and saw a man lying on the floor seriously injured. When I returned with two policemen he was dead."

Mrs. Gilmour, who was not seriously injured, was taken to the Glasgow Royal Infirmary.

Early to-day police chiefs, after a swift investigation, arrested James Gilmour, husband of the injured woman. He has been charged with assaulting his wife and murdering Erick, and will appear in the Eastern Police Court, Glasgow, to-morrow.

## Ban On Business Posts For Crown Officers

NEW regulations governing the acceptance of business appointments by officers of the Crown services were issued last month in a Government memorandum arising from the report of the Royal Commission on the private manufacture of and trading in arms.

#### BUSINESS AFFECTED

It is not implied that there is anything improper or undesirable in officers on retirement accepting business appointments. But it is stated the Government realise there are types of cases which might lend themselves to misunderstanding, and they require assent to the acceptance of appointments within these types.

These would include businesses and other bodies which are in contractual relationship with the Government; in receipt of subsidies or their equivalent from the Government; in which the Government is a shareholder; which are in receipt from the Government of loans, guarantees or other forms of capital assistance; and with which branches of Government are as a matter of course in a special relationship; and semi-public organisations brought into being by the Government or by Parliament.

In such cases all officers of the rank of Assistant Under-Secretary of State (or Principal Assistant Secretary or, in missions abroad, Ministers), Rear-Admiral, Major-General, Air Vice-Marshal, and above—will be required to obtain the assent of the Government before accepting an offer of employment.

After the lapse of two years from the date of retirement assent will no longer be necessary.

These principles are to apply in the case of officers who in exceptional circumstances may wish to resign from the Services to take up outside occupations.

## OUR GUIDE TO THE CINEMAS

"The Guyver" (Kings Theatre, to-day).—George Arliss has taken no more lovable or romantic a role than in this picture. He discards his famous cynical tone of voice and invests the part with warmth and colour. A delightful picture in every respect, with Arliss standing supreme in a good cast.

"Top Hat" (Queen's Theatre, to-day).—The return of this great Astaire-Rogers film is bound to be warmly welcomed. "Top Hat" just about tops all of their previous pictures, which is saying a lot. The tunes are good, the dancing excellent and the fun maintained throughout.

"Motor Madness" (Alhambra Theatre, to-day).—Outdoor racing is the latest theme for the cinemas, and this picture has some exciting racing scenes for a background. Allen Brook, a newcomer to the screen (this being his second picture) shows unlimited promise and the more experienced Rosalind Keith plays excellently to sustain the love interest.

"Trouble in Morocco" (Majestic Theatre, to-day).—"Strong Man" Jack Holt gives a very pleasing performance in this romance of rival newspaper reporters which takes the two (one a man, the other a woman) to the sandy wastes of Morocco. Fiery action, smart dialogue and generally good production qualities makes this a fine film.

"Man Of The People" (Oriental Theatre, to-day).—A very moving picture of tremendous human interest. It gives Joseph Calleia his first big chance and he makes the utmost of it. Splendid supporting cast. A great picture.

The Royal Engineers Old Comrades' Association is holding its next fortnightly whist drive and tombola in the Garrison Lecture Hall on Wednesday, August 18, commencing at 8.30 p.m. Prizes to the value of £35 will be given. Admission is 50 cents, including refreshments.

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Hongkong, 10th August, 1937.

### YOUNG BULLY

### CHARGED

### WARNED OF FUTURE BEHAVIOUR

Described by the police as a young

bully, Wong Fat, a 17-year-old youth,

appeared before Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Magistracy this morning, charged with assaulting Li Kwok-yau, aged 13, at the Praya in Saiwanho, yesterday.

Inspector A. Wright said the young boy was fishing on the Praya, when Wong went up to him and tried to take away his line. Li would not give it up, and defendant then struck the boy a blow in the solar plexus, knocking him out completely. Defendant was known as a bully, and even struck his foster-mother.

His Worship, addressing defendant, said that if Li had malice, and had been struck in the spine, the blow would have killed him, and defendant would be up for murder or manslaughter. He said he proposed to bind defendant over, with the mother as surety, and asked her to bring defendant before him if the youth struck her again.

The foster-mother said the youth was uncontrollable, and added that he had no fear of his relatives.

Ordering defendant to sign the bond, his Worship again warned him that if he was caught bullying anyone again, he would be brought to Court and punished.

### MANSLAUGHTER HEARING

### ACCUSED SAYS DEAD MAN BUMPED INTO KNIFE

On a charge of manslaughter of

Chun Tim-tai, aged 21, Yu Wing,

34-year-old unlicensed hawk, was

committed for trial by Mr. K. Keen at the Central Magistracy this morning.

Accused was alleged to have

stabbed deceased in the heart with a pen-knife in Cheung Hing Street.

Inspector C. R. Rozeskywsky produced.

Continuing his evidence from his

previous hearing, accused stated that

deceased met his death by knocking

against the knife with which he

(accused) was cutting his finger-

nails. Prior to that deceased had

struck him several blows because he

objected to him making a fool out

of one, Ah Sang.

After he was struck he did not

retaliate but produced the knife from

his pocket and cut his nails with it.

Deceased again rushed at him, and as

a result knocked against the knife.

After this, deceased continued to

strike him and he ran until he

reached Morrison Street where he

was arrested by an Indian constable.

### CAUGHT IN ACT OF THEFT

Waking up about 2.50 this morning

Chau Hon, the master of a piece

goods shop in Talnam Street, saw a

man leaving his premises with

several rolls of pongee silk under

his arm. Chau got out of bed, rang

the alarm, but the intruder escaped

over the back wall. A

detective, answering a police whistle

blown by the master, arrested the

alleged thief in a near-by scavenging

lane.

Appearing before Mr. E. Hims-

worth at the Kowloon Magistracy

later in the day, the suspect who

was named as Ho Kuen, aged 33,

was fined \$20 or one month's hard

labour. Detective Sergeant Rolan

said the silk, 81 yards in all, was

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subject to rent.

All claims against the steamer

must be presented to the Under-

signed on or before the 28th August,

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must have a Revenue Officer in at-

tendance when damaged dutiable

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Goods are to be left in the Godowns,

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of Opium, Treasure and Valuables

are being landed and stored into

the Godowns of the Hongkong Kow-

loon Wharf and Godown Co., Ltd.,

whence delivery may be ob-

tained immediately after landing.

All claims must be sent to me

on or before 21st August, 1937, or

they will not be recognized.

Damaged Packages will be exam-

ined by the Company's Surveyor

Messrs. Goddard and Douglas in

the presence of the Consignees at

10.00 a.m. on Monday, 16th August,

1937.

Consignees must have a Revenue

Officer in attendance when any

dutiable goods are examined by the

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## MAJOR OFFENSIVE NOW AT HAND

(Continued from Page 1.)

ing, it is reported, killing the pilot. The co-pilot escaped. The Central News Agency also reports that the Fifth Division of the Kwantung Army is scheduled to arrive in North China this week to join in the Chian drive.—United Press.

### Nankow Heavily Shelled

Tientsin, Aug. 11. Trainloads of Japanese troops have moved to Peiping from Tientsin in the past 48 hours, blocking normal traffic on the Peking-Tientsin Railway and indicating that large-scale war preparations by the Japanese are under way.

The Japanese again pounded Nankow last night yesterday morning with an artillery barrage, but made no progress after fighting for a few hours.—Hua Nan News.

### Fighting Around Tientsin

Tientsin, Aug. 10. Reports that a fleet of Chinese war planes intends to bomb Japanese areas in Tientsin are causing the authorities in foreign concessions to take emergency precautions here.

Flags of the foreign nations have been hoisted and the British have painted huge Union Jacks on the roads and open spaces about the British concession.

Brisk fighting has broken out west of Tientsin, a portent that real war between China and Japan may not be far off.

Japanese Army officers profess to be gravely concerned at the Chinese Communist activities and say that they have received information that the Chinese Communists which have been operating in Western China for years, and who number some of the toughest fighters in the world are moving towards Peiping at a rapid rate.—United Press.

### Scout Chinese Positions

Peiping, Aug. 10. Japanese aeroplanes again appeared over this city today. They did not drop any bombs but only carried out reconnaissance over the Chinese military positions at a considerable altitude.

Latest information from the Nankow front reveals that there has been no more fighting apart from small clashes between the advance guards.—Wah Kiu Yat Po.

### Awakening Reinforcements

Nanking, Aug. 10. According to one authority it is understood that minor clashes occurred both on the Peking-Suiyuan Railway front and the Tientsin-Pukow Railway front to-day, but each time the Japanese were repulsed.

Observers generally believe that these clashes are only a play for time, and that major engagements will not be started until the arrival of Japanese reinforcements.—Wah Kiu Yat Po.

### Shanghai Relaxes Tension

Shanghai, Aug. 11. The tension in Shanghai has been somewhat relaxed by an official assurance that both the Chinese and Japanese authorities have decided not to aggravate the situation by any drastic action, and are inclined to resort to diplomatic means to settle the Hungjiao Aerodrome incident, after completion of investigations by both sides.

Mr. Yu Hung-chun, Mayor of Shanghai, called on the Japanese authorities yesterday, explaining the cause of the incident. He said that the two Japanese victims had trespassed in the forbidden area of the Hungjiao Aerodrome on the night in question, with the apparent intention of doing some intelligence work.

The Japanese allegation that the two Japanese carried no arms when they appeared in the Hungjiao Aerodrome is denied by the Chinese authorities, who claim to have secured the arms taken from the bodies of the Japanese by Chinese soldiers.

Meanwhile, it is learned in authoritative circles that Mr. Shigeru Kawagoe, Japanese Ambassador to China, has received fresh instructions from Tokyo and is prepared to proceed to Nanking to try to resume negotiations with the Chinese Government.—Hua Nan News.

### May Await Support

Tientsin, Aug. 10. Japan's preparations for another large-scale campaign in the North are being accelerated with the arrival of additional troops from outside the Great Wall.

It is reported that the next campaign may not be commenced until the mobilisation of a total strength of fourteen divisions is completed. General Katsuki, Commander of the Japanese Garrison Forces in North China, is suggested, will be replaced by General Ichinichi or Lieut-General Kogi, who will concurrently hold the supreme command of the coming campaign.—Hua Nan News.

### Completing Evacuation

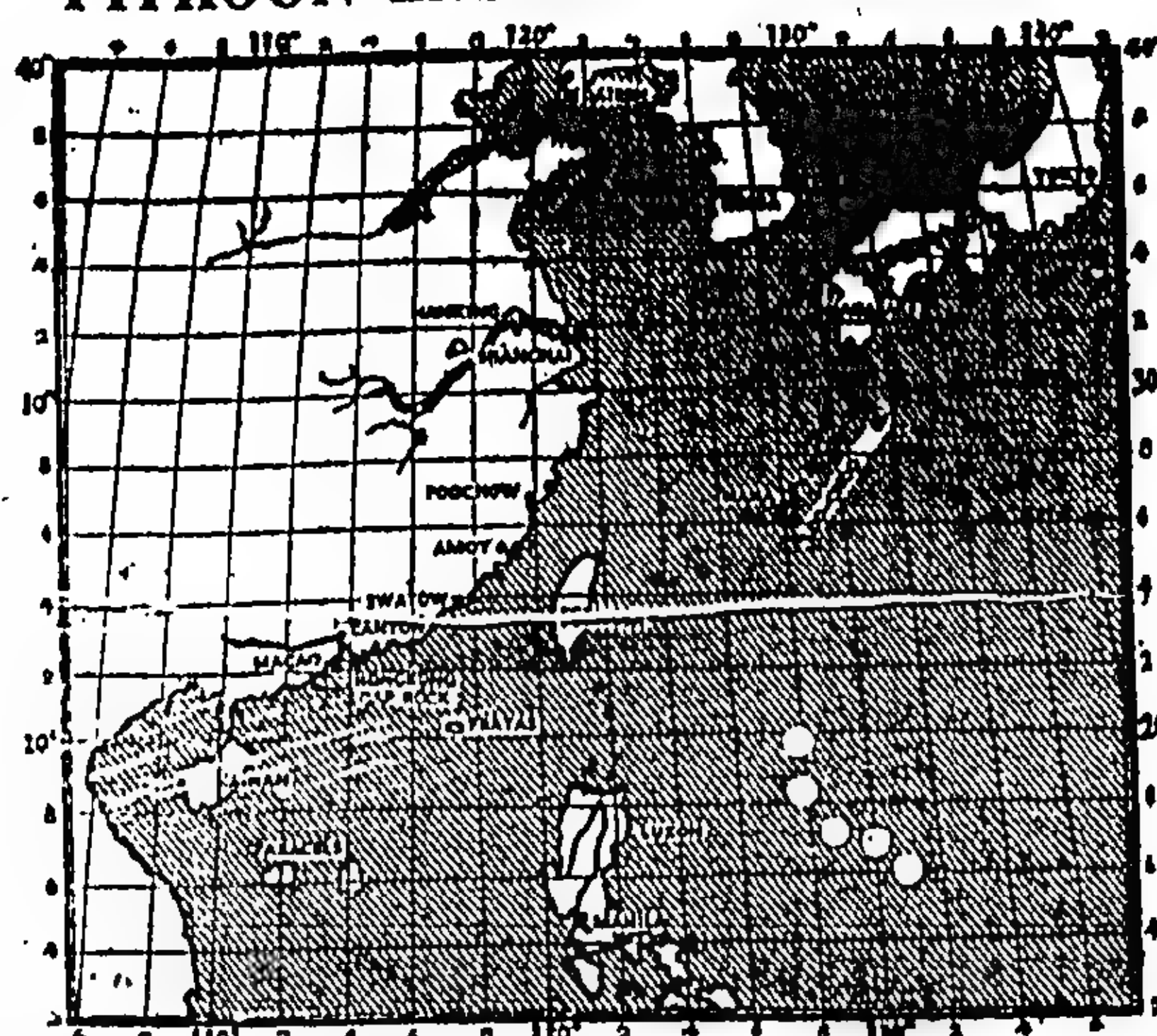
Hankow, Aug. 11. The complete evacuation of Japanese nationals from Hankow will be accomplished this afternoon when the remainder of the up-river consular officials and their staffs, including the consular police, leave the port.

A number of Japanese left last night from Loongwo and Wuchang and the remainder will be evacuated by a Japanese vessel which sails this afternoon. This last group includes Mr. Matsudaira, acting Consul-General at Wuchang.—Reuter.

### Japanese Quit Canton

Canton, Aug. 11. An official spokesman of the Kwangtung Government to-day denied the rumour circulating in

## TYPHOON EAST OF BALINTANG



The Manila Observatory reports at 9.40 a.m. to-day that the typhoon is situated in about Long. 126, Lat. 20, moving N.N.W. The position is east of the Balintang Channel. White dots show the track.

## Shipping Intelligence

Shipping Companies are requested to forward, as early as possible information regarding arrivals, departures, time and mooring place and other movements. Urgent information should be telephoned to the shipping Editor, Phone 26615.

### PORT DIRECTORY

CREMER (J.C.J.L.), Kowloon Wharf. HINSANG (J.M.), B.22. KEUNGCHAW (B. & S.), B.21. KUMSANG (J.M.), A.5. KWEIANG (B. & S.), B.16. NORVIKEN (J.M.), West Point Wharf. PROMINENT (J.M.), B.8. SUIYANG (B. & S.), B.13. TING SANG W. P. Wharf. TIKKANG (J.C.J.L.), A.5.

### ARRIVED YESTERDAY

(Agents Phone Numbers Given.) CREMER (J.C.J.L.) from Straits, daylight, Kowloon Wharf, 20015. EMPRESS OF ASIA (C.P.S.) from Shanghai, 11 a.m., Kowloon Wharf, 22049. GAASTERK (J.C.J.L.) from Straits, 10 p.m., A.13. HAIYANG (Douglas) for Foochow, 3 p.m., Co's Wharf, 26037. HUNAN (B. & S.) for Shanghai, 3 p.m., West Point Wharf, 30311. KRENGHONG (N.M.) for Mar-seilles, 10 a.m., Kowloon Wharf, 20051. KWANGTUNG (B. & S.) for Hal-phong, 3 p.m., B.14. MUJANG (B. & S.) for Singapore, 3 p.m., A.11. NORVIKEN (J.M.) for Canton, 9 p.m., West Point Wharf, 30311. TENDAREUS (B. & S.) for Shanghai, noon, Ho's Wharf, 30331. TIKKANG (J.C.J.L.) for Canton, 10 p.m., B.3. TINGANG (J.M.) from Shanghai, 4.30 p.m., B.2. 30311.

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### Filipinos In H.K. To Greet Senor Quezon

Well Pleased With His Services On Trip Abroad

A distinguished party of Filipinos arrived here from Manila this morning on the President Taft to await the arrival from America of President Manuel Quezon, due on the Dollar liner President Hoover Friday.

Many of the party are staying with friends, some at the Gloucester Hotel and to-night a number of them will go to Canton for a quick visit. All will return to Manila with President Quezon on the President Hoover.

Don Miguel Tolentino, Assemblyman, stated this morning that the Philippines were thoroughly satisfied with the work done by the President during his trip to America and Europe and that almost everything had been accomplished which the Philippines sought.

"Among other things President Quezon returns with a hundred million pesos as a refund of the coconut oil excise tax which the United States has been levying."

Travelling with President Quezon are a number of members of the Joint Committee on Trade Relations who will continue their investigations in Manila and try to arrive at a solution to the problem of the status of the Philippines if independence is granted in full in 1939. "This committee, which seeks to establish what the Philippines are entitled to in their trade relations with the United States, will continue its sittings in Manila and with the full co-operation of the Philippine Government we

### Not So Hot Yesterday Fair To Showery Forecast

The weather was again cooler yesterday. Royal Observatory returns showing maximum of 83 and a night minimum of 78. Both are two degrees below the figures for the previous day. At 10 a.m. to-day, the reading was 84, or four degrees higher than yesterday at the same hour. Humidity was lower at 63. Rainfall for the 24 hours ended at 10 a.m. to-day was 1.25-inch, bringing the year's total so far to 58.81 inches, against an average of 58.37. This morning's weather report reads: Pressure is now highest over Japan and the Pacific to the eastward. A trough of relatively low pressure extends from south-west China south-eastward to the Western Caroline. Local forecast:—South winds, moderate; fair to showery.

## WARSHIP MOVEMENTS

H.M.S. Lowestoft returned yesterday from Swatow and H.M.S. Proteus and H.M.S. Odin are expected in harbour to-day. On Aug. 9, H.M.S. Scapab left Nanking for Wuhu.

hope for a very satisfactory outcome," said Assemblyman Tolentino.

The members of the delegation are: Hon. Juan Alano, Hon. Pascual Asanza, Hon. Teodoro Canache, Hon. Felipe Jose, Hon. Eusebio Perez, Hon. Froilan Pimentel, Hon. Romualdo Quimpo, Hon. Miguel Tolentino, Assemblyman, Mr. Arsenio R. Matias, secretary to the Delegation, and the former Governor of Masbate, Fausto Bayot. Mr. H. C. Anderson, managing director of the Manila Hotel, Mr. Julius S. Reece, President of the Manila Trading Company.

### CORRESPONDENCE Coronation Souvenir Programmes

To the Editor, Hongkong Telegraph

Sir,—I should be grateful if you would allow me through the medium of your correspondence column to inform the public that we have still a number of unsold copies of the Official Souvenir Coronation Programme. If these have to be returned to England they will be a dead loss to King George V's Jubilee Trust.

It may be that there are some members of the public who desire to possess a copy of this handsome souvenir of the Coronation. We propose to sell them post free to any address on application to the Hon. Secretary, the Boy Scouts Association, Lower Albert Road, Hongkong. N. V. HALWARD, Colony Commissioner.

## James Jarvie

Sir,—In 1932, a young man named James Jarvie became a member of the National Mutual Life Association, and in September, 1935, he paid his second annual premium. His age had not been admitted and he was to bring in proof of age the next day. He then left for Scotland where he was to live at Grange-mouth. Letters have frequently been written to him, bonus certificates and premium notices and statements of his policy have been sent, and advice to apply for non-tropical residence rebate, but no word has been received from him.

He had paid \$473.30 on a \$5,000 policy, and it was supposed that his policy had lapsed, but he has lately died. It is said that he died five days

### THE BRITISH QUEEN WHO WAS SUED FOR DIVORCE

(Continued from Page 6.)

General Nicholson captured the frontier tribesman's imagination. He would ride alone straight into the village of a notorious bandit, cut his head off, and have it placed by his side on public occasions for every one to see.

He so gained the admiration of the bloodthirsty inhabitants of the Punjab that in a whole year of administration not one murder or highway robbery was committed or even attempted.

Because of these deeds the natives began to worship him. A whole brotherhood of fakirs gave up their own gods for this Englishman and installed him as their god under the name of Nikkul-Seyn.

Whenever the god Nikkul-Seyn was seen his worshippers would fall at his feet.

Time and again Nicholson would dog and imprison his devotees for idolatry, but this did not diminish their enthusiasm.

before the policy would have lapsed, so was still a member.

His mother, if alive, should receive \$3,000 and about \$400 in bonuses, from which must be deducted over \$800 owing in premiums and interest. It appears that in this case no estate duty should be required in the Colony.

Can any one give any information about this member who was an Engineer or Officer on a steamer in the East? Any information will be gratefully received.

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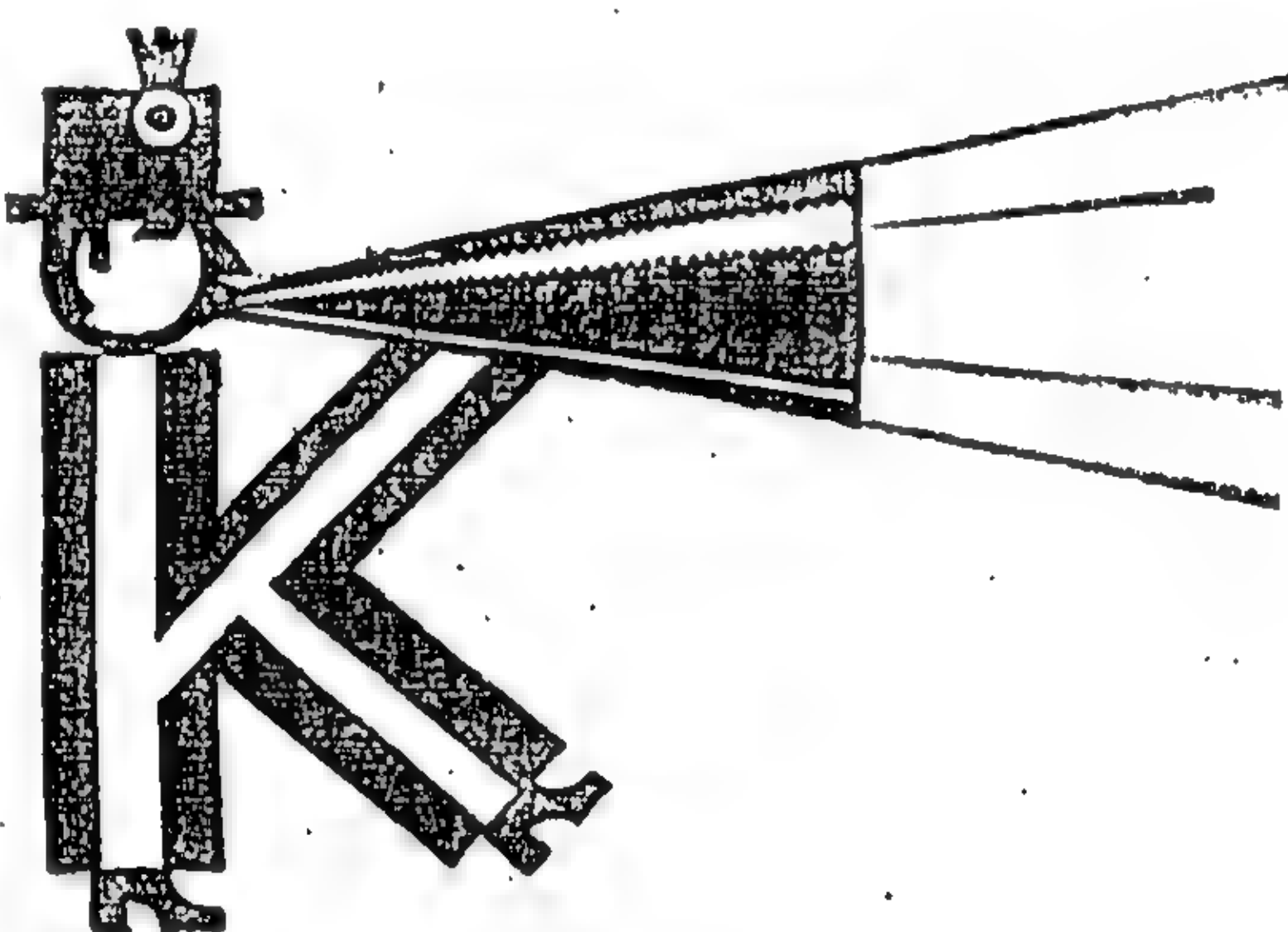
### FACTORY WOMEN WORKED 16 HOURS IN DAY

Pleading guilty through an agent, the manager of the Tsing Wa Knitting Company, 143 Kwelin Street, was fined \$50 by Mr. E. Hims-worth at the Kowloon Magistrate's Court this morning for allowing 24 women to work in his factory at 11.10 p.m. on July 27.

Mr. D. W. Phillips, Assistant Inspector of Labour and Factories, S. C. A., said the working hours for the factory people were between 7 a.m. and 9 p.m.

Imposing the fine, the Magistrate said, "It's disgraceful to work these people more than 14 hours a day."

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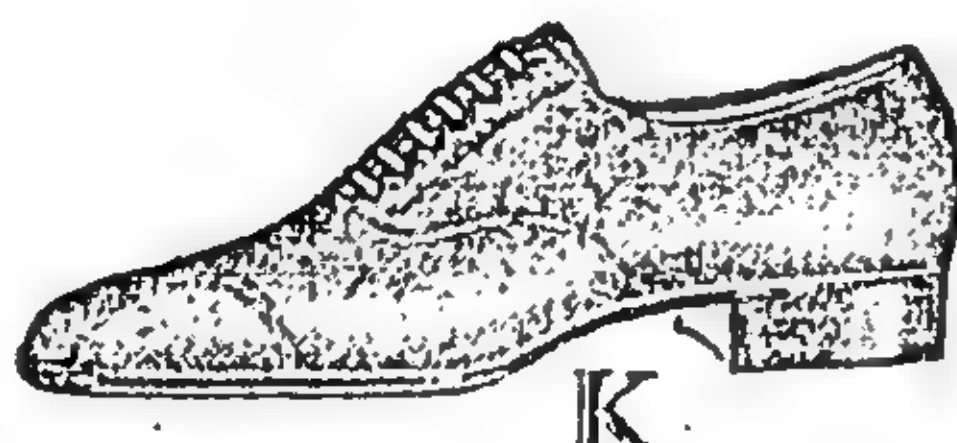
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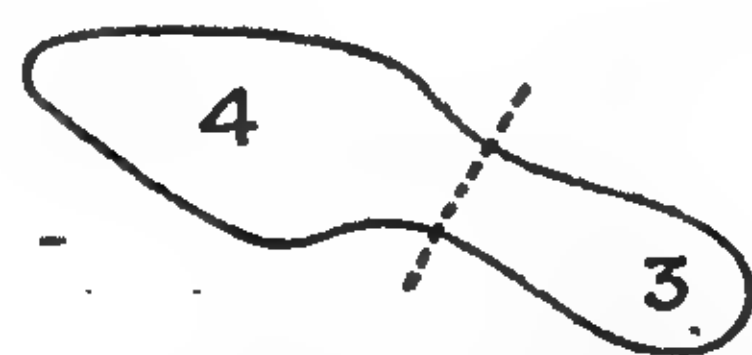
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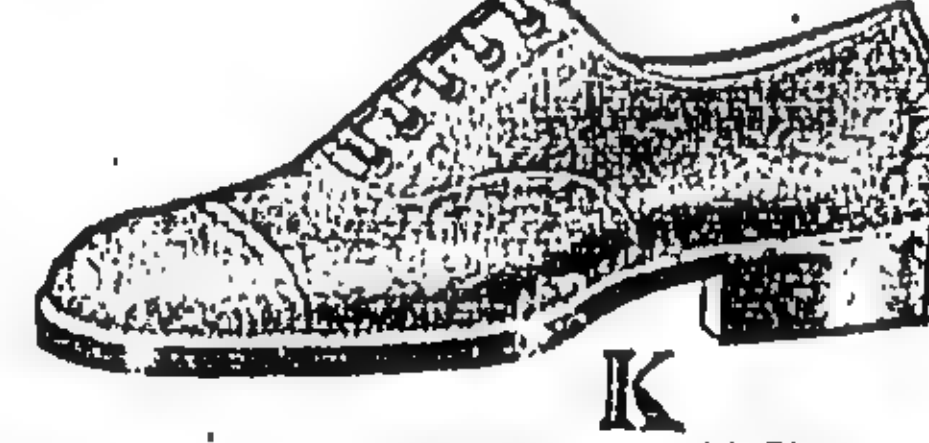
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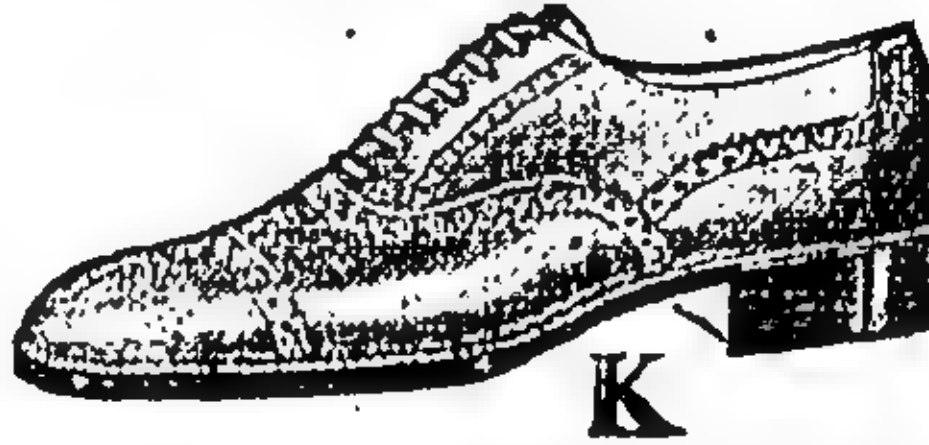
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### DEATH

SULLIVAN—At his residence, 13, Dragon Terrace, Causeway Bay, on August 10, 1937, Charles Des Voeux Sullivan, aged 57, late of the Taikeo Sugar Refinery. The cortege will pass the Monument at 5.15 p.m. to-morrow.

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WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 11, 1937.

### WAR PORTENTS

Prospects of a pacific adjustment of the Sino-Japanese quarrel appear to be definitely receding. The news of the past few days suggests that Japan is in a mood to settle the dispute by force rather than through diplomatic channels. Her withdrawal from Hankow, and the Yangtze Valley generally, strengthens this belief rather than otherwise. This step has been represented by Japanese official circles as indicative of a desire to respect China's territorial integrity. The more reasonable explanation is that it is a strategic move, determined, first, by fear of possible isolation in case real war breaks out; secondly, by the knowledge that Chiang Kai-shek's best troops are stationed in Central China; and, lastly, by a recognition of the danger of clashing with foreign interests. The evacuation of Japanese nationals from South China areas need not be taken as presaging any aggression by Japan in these parts; it is more likely to have been dictated by a realisation of the jeopardy in which these isolated communities might be placed in the event of war. Here, again, the developments suggest that Japan expects hostilities very shortly. The failure of Mr. Kawagoe to proceed to Nanking, together with the evacuation of the families of Chinese officials in the capital, also tends to confirm the view that big-scale fighting may soon occur. Viewing Japan's action as a whole, the impression gained is that she is prepared to contest the issue to the point of going to war, but that she plans, if possible, to confine hostilities to North China, where she is bent on retaining the hold she has already secured. Any attempt to subjugate China as a whole would be the height of folly; Japan's military leaders must be fully conscious of that point. Moreover, there is danger in attempting operations over large, scattered areas; hence the desire to confine hostilities to North China. The full intentions of the Nanking Government have yet to be disclosed, but everything points to a policy of armed resistance against any fresh aggression on

# CAN FRANCE HOLD THE FRANC?

\*\*\*\*\* asks \*\*\*\*\*  
**HARTLEY  
WITHERS**

the authority on international finance, and author of "Money in the Melting Pot."

"WHAT is the meaning of all this trouble about the franc? And where is it going to end?" These are the questions to which thousands of people are wanting answers, people to whom these problems of exchange, once left to bankers and economists, are in these times an almost daily nuisance.

Simplifying the matter as much as possible, it may be said that France is now suffering from just the same difficulties as those which we faced in 1931 and managed to solve, partly by the great effort that we made to put our finances straight, partly by being forced to abandon the

which did not command the confidence of the business classes. Everybody knows what mistrust of a Government means; but this talk about overvalued currency and devaluation is still a puzzle to many and needs explanation.

Until September last, when the last devaluation of the franc was carried out, the French exchange ruled at about 75 francs to the pound, which meant to say that anyone who bought French goods, either by importing them or by going to France and spending money there, got 75 francs worth of goods for every pound spent.

But devaluation can restore the selling power of a people only if the price-level is kept fairly steady. This was the point in which we were so lucky when we devalued in 1931—the tendency of world prices was then downward, and so our internal price-level moved only to a slight extent and those who bought from us got the full advantage of receiving more pounds for their money.

### Rising Prices

As we all know, prices have been moving up since the autumn of last year, and especially in France, owing to well-meant measures by which the Government there has been trying to raise the standard of life of the working population.

When prices rise in a country by as much as the currency is devalued in exchange with the moneys of other nations, devaluation, instead of being a stimulus to trade and business, becomes a source of uncertainty and mistrust, because it makes people think that it may have to be done again; and so they send money abroad, as Frenchmen have been doing so persistently, and since there is little demand for francs on the part of foreigners, there is a drain on the country's stock of gold—which increases the mistrust.

A still more important difference between France's position and England's when we faced our devaluation problem, was the fact that we had a Government which was supported by the great majority of those who organise and direct our industrial and business activities, and also of those who

**Fate of the Franc  
is in their  
hands**



Two Classes of people will play an important part in deciding the fate of the franc. The pictures show a scene of the Paris Bourse and peasant women in whose "stockings" is said to be a big reserve of wealth.

couraging rather than checking the desire of property owners to look for safety abroad.

### Not Desperate

AND at the same time the extremist supporters of the Popular Front thought, apparently, that devaluation gave them a splendid opportunity for securing improvements in the pay and conditions of the workers—an excellent object to work for, at the right time.

Such a sequel to devaluation could have only one result—the necessity for another, as has just been proved; and now the devaluation problem has to be faced all over again, and the causes that led to this fresh crisis have to be dealt with—more effectively this time. But the position of France, though difficult and dangerous, is far from desperate.

She has been promised the support of America and of Great Britain, and this support, in the present state of world politics, we may be sure she can rely on receiving in full measure.

It is a question of getting this great rich and eminently sensible people to see that a chaotic financial position, and measures that frighten the owners of capital, can but lead to disaster.

### The Remedies

THE position can be put right only by the old-fashioned remedies of a balanced Budget, equitably imposed taxation promptly and readily paid, and a united effort by all parties to get their problem solved and the financial and industrial prestige of France restored, so that the great mass of French money that has sought refuge abroad may be brought home by its owners.

These remedies may seem easier to prescribe than to swallow, and French habits and traditions may make them less simple to apply in her case than in ours; but on the other hand, the danger that France faces if she lets matters drift are so menacing that her statesmen should have little difficulty in persuading her people to make the necessary sacrifices.

All well-wishers of France and of the cause of freedom will hope earnestly for their success.

People Who Make This Week Interesting

By C. A. LYON

## The British Queen Who Was Sued For Divorce

THE Queen of Great Britain sued by the King for divorce, the intimate details of her private life paraded in public—it seems incredible. It happened only last century to Queen Caroline, who died, broken-hearted, this week in 1821. It was probably the most sensational case in British history. Revolutions threatened. A gunboat protected witnesses.

The King—George IV—spent thousands of pounds on spies who collected his evidence against the Queen, who was then over forty.

Indiscreet, eccentric Caroline was excluded from Court by a husband who hated her so much that when a courier, announcing Napoleon's death, said, "Sire, your Majesty's greatest enemy is dead," George replied, "Is she, by God?"

So Caroline wandered all over the Continent with a handsome Italian servant, Bartolomeo Bergami. He had been a courier. She had had him made a knight and a baron.

The King had them watched. A special commission, comprising a colonel, a K.C., and a solicitor, trailed her and spent £30,000 on their travels.

crowded by cheering people, who believed her innocent. The ships were decorated with bunting. Every night she bowed to the crowds from her windows. The Crown witnesses were nearly lynched.

### Her Gipsy Hat

Her Majesty came to the House of Lords dressed in a gipsy hat with a large bow and ostrich feathers. Her eyebrows were painted and she wore a black wig.

The lords bowed as she took a seat beside her counsel. As soon as the first witness appeared the Queen screamed "Traitor!" and rushed from the Chamber like a fury.

Then followed evidence that kept Europe in a frenzy for weeks. Stories of the Queen living in a tent in the Holy Land—in which Bergami was seen in his shirt-sleeves. How they fed each other. How they tendered morsels in pantries. A servant feeding the Queen with a spoon.

How Bergami had been seen to assist the Queen in the bath and had called for more hot water. They were seen kissing.

Had the Queen really sat on his bed with her arm round his neck? The landlord of an hotel at Trieste told what he had seen through the keyhole. The Queen addressing Bergami as "My heart," and presenting him with a picture of herself daintily dressed.

The lovers caught kissing by servants. The great Brougham's speech for the Queen's defence was sublime. A peer rushed from the House in tears.

At last it was feared by the Cabinet that if the Queen were found guilty a revolution would follow. Two and a half months after it started it was announced that the proceedings would stop.

The scenes that followed have only since been equalled on Armistice night 1918. Every town in the country was lit up for three days. Every carriage in London was taken to spread the glad news in the home counties.

When George said he would not have the Queen in any royal palace a subscription was started to build her a new one.

Caroline was not to live long. George's coronation ceremony followed soon after.

That coronation was the biggest in history, costing £250,000, including £24,000 for the King's own robes, which flunkies had exhibited to him like mannequins for days before.

Nothing was lacking except the Queen, who was pressing through the crowd, outside to try to gain admission, but was refused by orders of the King.

When she died of a broken heart soon afterwards the King even tried to stop her corpse coming through London, and there was a riot involving two deaths round the royal funeral procession between the military and sympathetic crowds.

### Birth Of Chicago

THIS week in 1833 Chicago became a town. It was a cluster of fourteen houses, an American frontier post.

Its name was She-Kag-Onig, "the place where the wild onions grow."

Its taxes were producing £10 a year, so the local inhabitants thought the time for civic dignities had come.

Ten years later it passed a by-law forbidding hogs to roam the streets. The population to-day is 3,350,000.

### Wife Of Two Men

A STRANGE story survives the death on August 11, 1755, of Lord Dalmeny, son of Lord Rosebery.

He married a woman whom he met in London. They lived happily together. During a tour of the Continent she was taken ill. She called for paper, and wrote: "I am the wife of the Rev. Mr. Gough, rector of Thorpe, in Essex, and my last request is to be buried at Thorpe." Then she died.

Lord Dalmeny was horrified. To avoid scandal he took a false name, and tried to smuggle the body into the country at Colchester. But the coffin was opened by a Customs officer who thought he was going to detect a haul of contraband.

Lord Dalmeny was now under the gravest suspicion and he had to reveal the whole story.

The real husband was summoned. There was a dramatic meeting. They united to honour the memory of the woman who had deceived them both. Lord Dalmeny had a splendid coffin made for her and he and the paragon followed it to the grave.

### General Nikkul-Seyn

THIS week in 1857 Britain was in the throes of the Indian Mutiny. Among those killed later was the extraordinary General John Nicholson, the Englishman who became a god.

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## OGPU GAOL LONDON WOMAN AS SPY

## Pay Visit To Hotel Bedroom In Early Morning Hours

**DARK-EYED**, beautiful Eva Lowenbury, one of the London-born variety artists the Linde Sisters, lies in a Soviet gaol where she was taken without explanation three months ago.

She and her sister, Ivy Linden (Linde is the sisters' stage name), were ordered out of bed by OGPU agents, who entered their room with a skeleton key in the Astoria Hotel, Leningrad, at 1.30 a.m. on April 24.

They were ordered not to speak to each other. While they changed from their nightgowns their luggage was searched, and papers confiscated. Four hours later Eva Lowenbury was marched away. Her sister was not told where she would be taken or why.

Ivy Linden, dark like her sister, said to a London reporter at her home in Mount Pleasant Lane, Clapton, E., "I have since heard from Leningrad that my sister is charged with espionage and terrorism."

"It is ridiculous. We were in Russia four months doing our act. All the time we were together. Wherever she went I went."

"The Foreign Office say they can do nothing. Eva married a German band leader and singer Reinhold Lowenbury twelve years ago."

## MARRIED RUSSIAN

"He has been living in Leningrad for two years. Last September Eva received letters from a woman called Zina in Leningrad. She said she was living with Eva's husband. In the letters were mutilated photographs of Eva."

"She went to Leningrad at once, but found her husband and the woman were two days' journey away, and she had to fly back to England to keep an engagement."

"We went out to Russia together in December to fulfil a contract there."

"In March she divorced her husband, and on April 14 she married a young interpreter called Sabarovsky."

"We went to Leningrad to catch the boat home on April 23. We missed it, because the Russians kept our passports."

"That night we went to bed as usual. My sister was asleep, and I was dozing when two men and the woman assistant manager of the hotel walked in without even knocking."

## LETTERS SEIZED

"Whenever we tried to speak we were silenced. They opened all our trunks, took our letters and diaries, and then had an hour's phone talk with somebody."

"They took my sister away about five in the morning. Nobody knows where she is now—poor Eva."

"I couldn't find out anything, except that somebody told me Lowenbury and the woman Zina had been arrested in another hotel."

She added: "It is all so absurd. Eva has always sympathised with the Russians."

Running about the Clapton home is ten-year-old Sonia Lowenbury. She has not yet been told that her mother is in prison.

## Forty-Six Boots Mark His Trail

Jock Scott, of Woking, failing to land a job in London, thought he'd walk off his disappointment.

He's just back from the walk. It began in 1933 and was 15,000 miles long.

Twenty-three pairs of boots, cast into the gutter as their service ceased, mark Jock's trail to Cape-town.

Just to make the walk more than a whim he took with him a letter from Sir Ian Hamilton to the Cape-town Highlanders.

The answer came back with him to Southampton recently.

His worst time?—When he took a 1,000-mile wrong turning.

The Abyssinian War stopped his trek south at Wadi Halfa. He had to make a detour.

His most exciting moment?—When he lost his false teeth in the Libyan Desert.

An Arab policeman, who saw him hunting around, gave chase. He thought Jock was a spy.

## Car Plunges Into River: Girl Dead

Laughing gaily, a party of motorists pulled up by the River Trent at Gunthorpe, near Nottingham, last month.

Suddenly their laughter turned to horror as one car shot forward and plunged into the water, 12ft. deep.

In the car were:

Mrs. Mary Bradbury, of Devon Drive, Sherwood, Nottingham.

Mrs. Sally Deakin, of Symon-road, Nottingham, and

Miss Doreen Deakin, her daughter.

Hearing shrieks, two young men in the Unicorn Hotel rushed out, pulling off their clothing as they ran.

First into the river was Mr. Paulson, who saw the head and shoulders of one woman emerging from the sliding roof. He helped her out.

Mrs. and Miss Deakin were brought round, but efforts to revive Mrs. Bradbury failed.

Then, with a companion, he got the other two women out.

Mrs. and Miss Deakin were taken by ambulance to hospital.

## Postman is Taking Steps

BY A SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT

THE postman is in revolt against stair-climbing. With the ever-increasing tendency in larger towns to build new blocks of flats and tenements as slums are cleared the problem has become a first-class issue in the Post Office.

He has now asked the department that where his "walks" involve excessive stair-climbing his load should be reduced below the present figure of 35lb., and that the duration of his athletic effort should not exceed three hours per day.

His official working hours, he complains, are the same whether in flats or on the flat. Instead of his "walks"—this is the official description—being on the level, as previously, he is now for ever "going up and up and up."

## COUNTING HIS STEPS

His way is skyward. Some areas are now composed of nothing but tenement buildings and flats.

The postman has taken to counting—as well as watching—his steps. One man says that every morning he is faced with the ordeal of climbing 1,440 steps—nearly as high as the



**IRISH HOME FROM SPAIN**—At right is General Owen O'Duffy, commander of the Irish Brigade that recently returned to Dublin, after seven months' service with General Franco's Insurgent forces in Spain. With him is Major O'Sullivan, second in command of the brigade. The Irish soldiers charged they were poorly led and lacked sufficient supplies.

## BANKRUPT, ARRESTED AFTER 4 YEARS, FREED

(By H. L. McNally)

**HUGH PATRICK FAY**, a giant Irishman, 6ft. 4in. tall, towered over counsel in the witness-box of the Bankruptcy Court, London recently as he told how he had been deported from Canada, arrested in Liverpool, and kept in Brixton Prison since June 19 last.

His public examination revealed that he had been made bankrupt in July 1933, with liabilities of £2,889 and no assets. During the court luncheon interval Fay remained in custody, but afterwards he was released.

"Sure I'm off out of this as fast as my legs can carry me," he told me afterwards. "I'm off to Dublin to-night."

"It's a change of clothes I'm wanting," he explained, "and then a good meal. Then it's Ireland and afterwards South Africa. All fixed up. I have a fine job gold mining out there, and I'll be all right."

"I'll be making lots more in no time. South Africa and gold mines are the place for me."

"I'm one of the Fays, of Dublin, you know, the acting family. What money I lost is lost, and that's all there is to it."

"Ah, don't talk to me about my inventions. Maybe they're worth a lot and maybe they're not."

Fay's figure dwarfed a passing policeman as he hurried away to wash and change and prepare for his trip to the old country.

## SAVINGS LOST

His Irish temper flared once or twice while he was in court. His wavy white hair became ruffled and he appealed directly to "my lordship," as he called the registrar.

He described his work as an engineer in Canada, and displayed his passport to show that he had been deported for entering the country illegally. He said he had lost most of his savings of £22,000 in a bank failure in the United States.

Mr. L. A. West, senior official receiver, asked: Were you, in July 1926, convicted at Los Angeles, California, for conspiracy and grand larceny?

Fay: Yes.

His INVENTIONS

I think you were sentenced to a term of imprisonment and actually served 18 months there?—Yes.

Were you deported from Canada to Ireland?—Yes.

He arranged for the formation of a company to exploit inventions of his for making gramophone records, but the company failed.

The examination was closed.



**GUN FIGHT**—This unusual picture was taken during the gun and club fight at the Aluminium Company's plant at Alcoa, Tenn.

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I'll Walk Beside You (Lockton-Murray); The Valley Where Wishes Come True (Eatherley-Elliott); Walter Glynn (Tenor); Charlie Kunz Piano Medley No. 3; Intro; Across the great divide; The night is young and you're so beautiful; Good-bye; The Coronation Waltz; I'm still in love with you; Delyse; Charlie Kunz (Piano Solo); Confessions Of A Cheeky Chappy; Max Miller (Comedian); Farewell To Dreams; Will You Remember? (From the film 'Maytime'); Jeanette MacDonald (Soprano) and Nelson Eddy (Baritone); Gipsy Caprice (Ferraris); Wanderlust—Waltz (Smith); Alfredo and His Orchestra.

7.30 Closing local Stock Quotations and Hongkong Exchange Market Report.

7.45 Light Orchestral Music. Because (d'Hardot); A Little Love, A Little Kiss (Sileau); Albert Sandler and His Orchestra; The Knave Of Diamonds (Steele); Love In Idleness—Serenata (MacBeth); Alfredo Campoli and His Salon Orchestra; Gipsy Moon (Borgano); Albert Sandler and His Orchestra; Immortal Strauss (A Medley of Strauss Waltzes); Part 1—Voices of Spring; Tales from Vienna Woods; Thousand and One Nights; Roses from the South; Fledermaus; Part 2—Sphären Klänge; Voices of Spring; Emperor Waltz; Wiener Blut; Viennese Waltz Orchestra.

8.00 London relay—Variety. Including William Walker and Anne de Nys, 'The Four Crochets' and Harry Tate. Production by F. H. C. Pittard.

8.30 Studio—Ruth Litvin at the Piano.

Seriatim: Capriccioso No. 15 A Major; F. Minor No. 10; Pastorale No. 3; Gigue; Birding Op. 43 No. 4; Nocturne Op. 54 No. 4; Lullaby Op. 38; Chopin: Prelude Op. 28 No. 21 B flat Major; Waltz Op. 64 No. 2 C sharp Minor.

8.50 Songs by Turner Layton. I Want The Whole World To Love You (Bryan and Marks); When The Poppies Bloom Again (Towers, Morrow and Pelos); Miracles Sometimes Happen (Noble and Murray).

9.00 London Relay—Students' Songs.

The B.B.C. Men's Chorus, conducted by Trevor Harvey; George Fitzey (Bass). At the piano: Ernest Lush; Ten Thousand Miles Away; Ben Backstay; A-Rovin'; Junita; Down Among the Dead Men. Come, Landlord Fill the Flowing Bowl. Riding down from Bangor. Over the Sea to Skye. John Peel. Cock Robin.

9.30 Relay London—News and Announcements.

9.55 Mozart's Concerto in A Major. Played by Rubinstein and The London Symphony Orchestra Conducted by John Barbirolli.

10.20 Glee (Tenor). Non Ti Scordar Di Me (Furmo-de Curtis); Mille Cherubini In Coro (Sensara—Schubert—Melichar); Serenata Veneziana (Zuberti—Melichar); (Songs from London Film Production 'Lullaby').

10.30 Dance Music. Fox Trot—Everybody Dance; Fox Trot—When The Poppies Bloom Again; Jack Payne and His Band; Fox Trot—Goody-Goody; Fox Trot—It's Been So Long; Benny Goodman and His Orchestra; Vocal ref. by Helen Ward; Waltz—The Dawn Of Love; Tango—Majana! Dalos Bela Dance Orchestra; Fox Trot—Pappan Love Song; Fox Trot—It Happened Down In Dixieland; Teddy Foster and His Kings of Swing; Slow Fox Trot—Did I Remember? Waltz—The Dance Goes On; Mantovani and His Tipica Orchestra.

11.00 Close Down.

EXCHANGE RATES

	Aug. 9.	Aug. 10.
Paris.....	132.13/16	132.53/64
Geneva.....	21.72	21.70 1/2
Berlin.....	12.39 1/2	12.39 1/2
Athens.....	547 1/2	547 1/2
Milan.....	94 1/2	94 1/2
Copenhagen.....	22.40	22.40
Stockholm.....	19.39 1/2	19.39 1/2
Oslo.....	19.90	19.90
Helsingfors.....	226 1/2	226 1/2
Shanghai.....	1/2 1/2	1/2 1/2
New York.....	4.88 1/2	4.88 1/2
Amsterdam.....	9.04 1/2	9.04 1/2
Vienna.....	20 1/2	20 1/2
Prague.....	143	143 1/2
Madrid.....	Nom.	Nom.
Lisbon.....	110 1/2	110 1/2
Hongkong.....	1/2 1/2	1/2 20/32
Bombay.....	1/6 1/2	1/6 1/2
Montreal.....	4.98 1/2	4.98 1/2
Brussels.....	29.60	29.61 1/2
Yokohama.....	1/1	1/1.03/64
Belgrade.....	210	210
Montevideo.....	39 1/2	39 1/2
Rio de Janeiro.....	4 1/2	4 1/2
Bucharest.....	670	670
Silver (Spot).....	20 1/2	19 1/2
Silver (forward).....	20 1/2	19 1/2
War Loan.....	100 1/2	100 1/2

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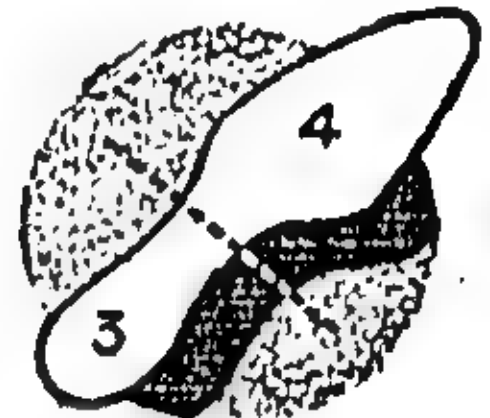
## COLONIAL APPOINTMENT

London, Aug. 10.  
Mr. W. M. Logan, Commissioner for Local Government Lands and Settlement in Kenya, has been selected as Chief Secretary of Northern Rhodesia, succeeding Mr. Dundas, recently appointed Governor and Commander-in-Chief of Bahama.—British Wireless.

## K SHOES

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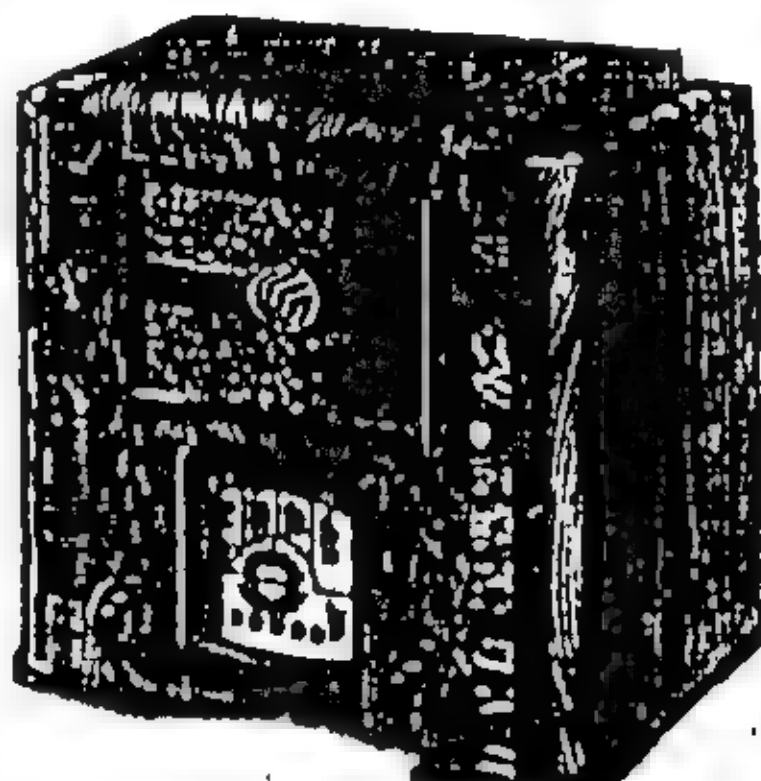
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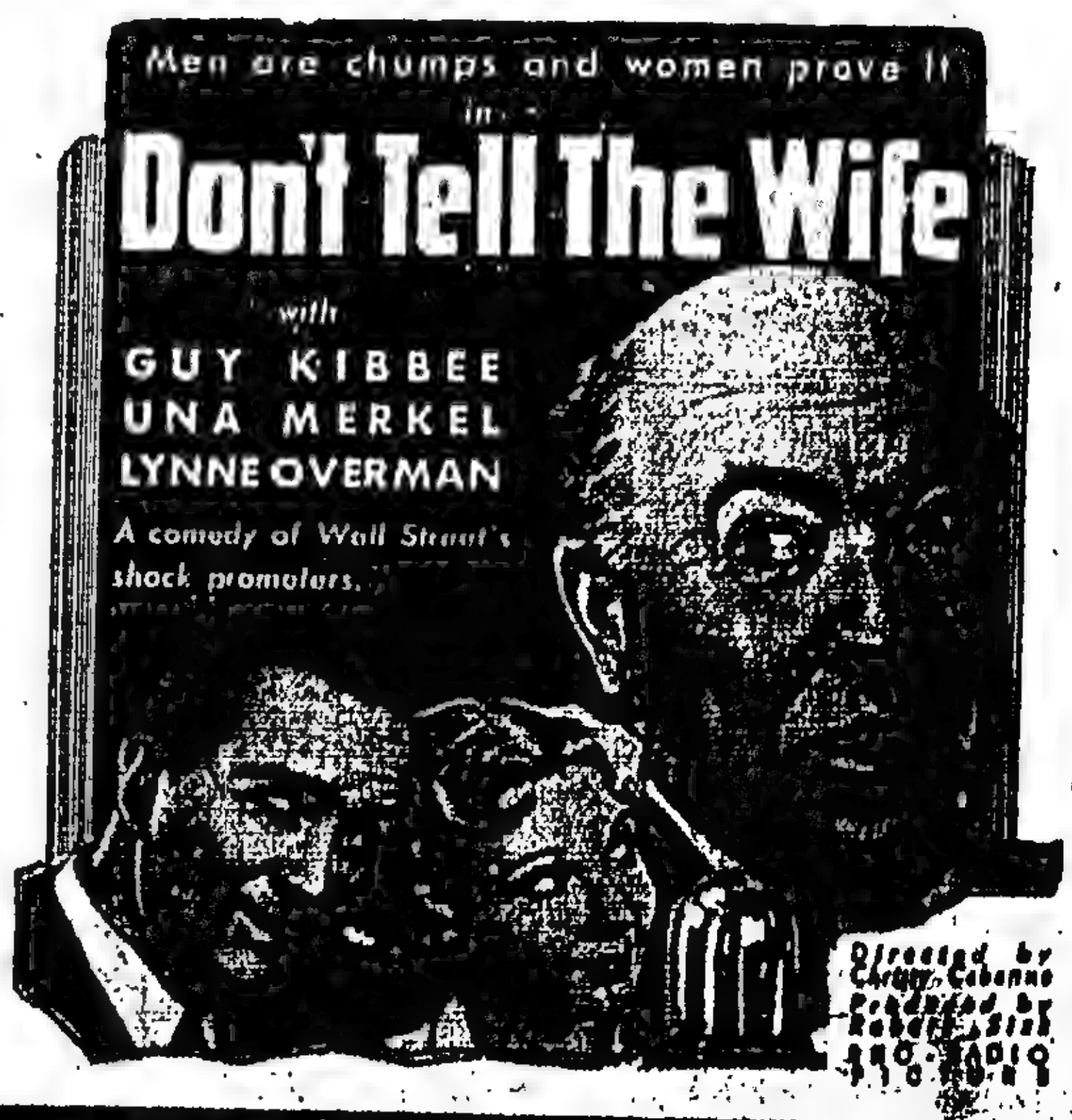
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# BUDGE AND MAKO MAY PLAY HERE IN DECEMBER

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HARRY HOPMAN

### FASTEST SCORING IN CRICKET

#### 75 RUNS HIT IN THREE OVERS

A recent 105 hit up in 45 minutes by Mr. H. Brown of Wansford (Northamptonshire) has resulted in something of a competition for the highest score in the shortest time.

Mr. L. D. Elcombe of Farnham near Dartford, claims to have scored 105 in 35 minutes for the Broadway Club in a Southampton Wednesday League game in 1935.

But the record is surely that of Mr. Frank Meade, who, playing for Catford Wanderers against the Concert Artists' Association, rattled up 143 in 45 minutes, the last 110 coming in 21 minutes. He scored 75 in three consecutive overs.

### CLASH OF GREATEST MILERS PLANNED

#### Hopes Of Arranging A Lovelock-Cunningham Race At Stockholm

The organisers of the Stockholm games, to be held at the Stockholm Stadium from August 4 to 6, are hoping to arrange a match between Glenn Cunningham, holder of the world's mile record, and Jack Lovelock, the Olympic 1,500 metres champion and world record-holder.

Invitations have been extended to the United States athletes who will be competing in London on August 2, and also to Lovelock. In addition, Karl Hein, the German winner of an Olympic gold medal, expected to compete, and the Swede, F. Wargander, will have an opportunity to take revenge for the defeat in the Olympics.

Among the many countries to which invitations have been sent for the Stockholm games is Russia, and it is hoped that obstacles connected with Soviet relations to the International Athletic Federation will be overcome.

## HOPMAN AND SCHWARTZ TO PLAY TWICE IN HONGKONG

(By "Veritas")

Following the announcement that a squad of German tennis players is to visit Hongkong in the late Autumn, comes the tidings that Donald Budge, world's amateur tennis champion, and his United States compatriot Gene Mako, are almost certain to come to Hongkong and play here before the end of the year.

What is more Harry Hopman, former Australian Davis Cupper, and the young Australian "hope", L. Schwartz, will play in Hongkong during November and again when they return from Japan.

This interesting information I have received by air mail from Mr. Norman Stockton, member of the Telegraph staff, who is now on holiday in Australia.

Mr. Stockton interviewed Hopman in Melbourne recently and elicited the above news from the tennis player.

Quoth Hopman: "The Lawn Tennis Association of Australia has decided to accept the offer from Japan for two Australian players to compete in the Japanese national tennis championship in November. I, Schwartz and myself have been invited by the A.L.T.A. to make the tour. The fact that Japan requires Australian players late in the year precludes the Association from sending the Davis Cup players (i.e. Jack Crawford, Vivian McGrath, Adrian Quist or John Bromwich).

#### BUDGE AND MAKO ALMOST CERTAIN

"We will be accompanied on the return journey to Australia in December by two or three American players," said Hopman.

"The Australian L.T.A. has invited the United States Association to send

Japanese players to Australia in 1937 when T. Harada, then doryen of the Japanese tennis courts, the late Jiro Satoh, and R. Nunol, played in the Commonwealth.

This will not be the first time Schwartz has officially represented Australia in overseas tennis championships. Two years ago he was sent, with E. F. Moon, to the Philippines to represent Australia, and proved a great attraction as well as meeting with considerable success.

#### HOPMAN'S CAREER

Hopman, who formerly played for New South Wales, but is now a Victoria representative, is 29 years of age, and two years ago was ranked sixth in Australia. He is short, slightly built, but possesses more than average stamina. He is well equipped in stroke play, but excels at volleying and smashing and because of this is a brilliant doubles player. He has been playing in first class tennis since 1926. He was a member of the Australian Davis Cup teams in 1926, 1930 and 1932. He has won several Australian championships, principally doubles titles with Jack Crawford. Among his greatest achievements was the defeat of H. W. Austin in a major tournament. In 1934 and 1935 he accompanied the Australian Davis Cup teams to Europe as a newspaper correspondent, and while there figured in several important tournaments.

Lan Schwartz is a 26 year-old South Australian, who plays a dashing game. He is a good volleyer and has excellent ground strokes. Performed well in the 1935 Adelaide City championships and in Interstate matches. He won the South Australian doubles title with Don Turnbull in 1932.

#### H.K. L.T.A. SHOULD ACT NOW

If what Hopman says is true, the Hongkong L.T.A. should lose no time in communicating with the United States Lawn Tennis Association with a view to checking up on this information and endeavouring to discover whether Budge and Mako, or whoever is sent to represent

### Davis Cup For Women Proposed

London, Aug. 1.

At a meeting of more than 20 representatives of Davis Cup nations, the chairman of the L.T.A. (Mr. Norman Brookes) proposed a women's competition on the lines of the Davis Cup.

It was decided, after a discussion, to appoint a committee to consider the proposal thoroughly and to report to a meeting in Paris in July, 1933.

sent America in the Japanese championships, will be ready to play in Hongkong.

It has already been reported in the world Press that United States has accepted Australia's invitation to send players to the Commonwealth this winter, but this is the first intimation locally that she will send those players first to Japan. The visit now seems to be fairly certain. The coming months promise to offer the Hongkong L.T.A. unequalled opportunities for staging some magnificent tennis exhibitions and every effort should be made forthwith to make certain that these illustrious players are not allowed to pass through the Colony unacknowledged.



DONALD BUDGE IN ACTION

## THE CORINTHIANS NOT DUE NOW UNTIL FEBRUARY 15

### WILL STAY HERE A FORTNIGHT

(By "Veritas")

Latest news received yesterday concerning the visit of the Islington Corinthians to Hongkong is that they will not now arrive until February 15—a fortnight after Chinese New Year.

This is because the Coronation affected the steamship service and has meant the Corinthians delaying their departure from England a fortnight.

South China A.A., however have written to the footballers intimating that Hongkong will be happy to receive them on February 15.

The Corinthians have stated they will be prepared to stay in Hongkong for two weeks, and it is certain that this will be the length of their stay in the Colony.

South China have mapped out a tentative programme of matches, which naturally is subject to confirmation by the Hongkong Football Association, and may, in fact, be amended by them. The suggested S.C.A. schedule is:

Islington  
Corinthians  
v. South China A.A.  
v. Civilian XI  
v. Combined Services  
v. Colony XI  
Interport XI

## English Cricket Is On Up Grade

London.

"English cricket is on the up grade. There is no need for pessimism about the forthcoming visit of the Australians." Thus Sir Pelham Warner, at a dinner recently.

"In choosing English test teams we have come to think almost exclusively in terms of Bradman," he said. "I have tried to dissuade the committee in thinking so much about Bradman."

"Plum" also complained: "There is too much defensive bowling in modern cricket—too much bowling that is short of a length. Good length bowling is everything. Let us get back to it."

"Jack Hobbs was the greatest batsman on all types of wickets," he said, and "Sidney Barnes and Frank Foster were the finest pair of bowlers who ever bowled in England."

### SMILES' CHANCE OF CRICKET DOUBLE

#### Yorkshire Fast-Medium Bowler Feature Of Northern Cricket

London.

A feature of Northern cricket this season has been the manner in which Smiles, the Yorkshire fast-medium bowler, has shouldered a heavy burden in the absence of Bowles.

He is playing a leading part in Yorkshire's fight for the championship, and there was consternation among the county's enthusiasts when it was learnt that he had wrenched his shoulder at Lord's.

Smiles is also batting better than at any other time in his career. Nothing better has been seen in Yorkshire's batting this season than Smiles' powerful driving when he made 85 and 80 not out against Kent at Bradford.

Yorkshire supporters believe that Smiles will perform the cricket-er's double this year. Not since 1926 has a Yorkshire player scored 1,000 runs and taken 100 wickets in a season. He has already more than 400 runs to his credit and over 40 wickets. With a little more polish in his fielding it is believed that Smiles may take rank with the best of Yorkshire's all-rounders.

## Seven Catches In One Innings

London.

Fred Price, the Middlesex wicket-keeper, recently caught seven men in Yorkshire's innings at Lord's. The achievement is unequalled in first-class cricket—a record.

E. J. "Tiger" Smith (Warwickshire) and Farrimond (Lancashire) have each taken seven behind the stumps in an innings, but their seven included stumpings.

It was Price's field day. When he had made his last catch Patsy Hendren patted Price's back all the way to the dressing room, while the wicket-keeper was busily occupied in stuffing the historic ball into his pocket and lifting his hat in the drizzle which had set in.

Middlesex played a new medium-paced bowler in this match. He was N. F. Turner, of the Eton 1933 XI. Turner bowled in a cap, a Free Forester cap. Despite this he took two wickets.

### Homeside County Cricket

## TEN WICKETS IN AN INNINGS

### Great Performance By Goddard

### THE LATEST RESULTS

London, Aug. 10.

No more exciting and fascinating contest for the county cricket championships has been seen than the present one between Yorkshire and Middlesex, which became more and more intensified to-day when both teams won their matches.

Middlesex, after being put in a dangerous position, managed to beat Surrey by three wickets and thus maintained their decimal per centage lead over Yorkshire, who beat Warwick very easily.

Sussex won comfortably against Kent, although the Hop County did well to set their opponents 62 to win after being as many as 238 behind on the first innings.

Gloucestershire and Lancashire helped themselves to convincing wins, with Walter Hammond again to the fore, scoring a masterly 170.

New Zealanders on the eve of the final Test match did very well to beat Essex by four wickets. For this they were not a little indebted to W. A. Hadlee who hit up 100, and to Dunning and Cowie who took 6 for 71 and 5 for 66 respectively in the two Essex innings.

Only one of the county matches was left drawn, Glamorgan taking first innings points from Somerset.

#### GODDARD'S BOWLING

Most brilliant individual achievement was that of Goddard, the Gloucester and England bowler, who captured all ten wickets in Worcester-shire's second innings for 113 runs. In the entire match Goddard took 10 wickets for 181 runs.

Verity also had a highly successful match, taking in all 14 wickets for 82 against Warwickshire.

The results and leading performances with bat and ball as sent by Reuter, follow.

#### COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP

Middlesex (151 and 230/7) beat Surrey (170 and 209) by three wickets.

Derbyshire (402/9 dec. and 11/1) beat Northants (253 and 159) by nine wickets.

Yorkshire (282 and 105/1) beat Warwickshire (205 and 180) by nine wickets.

Sussex (552 and 62/0) beat Kent (294 and 317) by nine wickets.

Gloucestershire (196 and 317/7) beat Worcestershire (310 and 202) by three wickets.

Lancashire (347 and 126/0) beat Northants (190 and 370) by ten wickets.

Glamorgan (243 and 195) beat Somerset (191 and 183/9) on first innings.

#### FRIENDLY

New Zealanders (368 and 128/6) beat Essex (256 and 239) by four wickets.

#### BATTING

Hammond (Gloucester) v Worcester 178

Langridge, John (Sussex) v Kent 150

Place (Lancs) v Northants 137

Wilcock (Essex) v New Zealanders 116

W. A. Hadlee (N. Zealanders) v Essex 100

Parks, Jas (Sussex) v Kent 104

Smith (Derbyshire) v Northants 103

Harris (Notts) v Lancashire 104

Pope (Derbyshire) v Northants 101

## RACING DRIVERS' CLUB'S 500 CLUB'S 500 INNOVATIONS FOR ANNUAL RACE

Many innovations are to be found in the regulations for the British Racing Drivers' Club's "500," to be held at Brooklands on September 18.

The distance has been reduced from 500 miles (181 laps) to 500 kilometres (112 laps).

In the past it has been noticeable that most of the incidents and retirements have taken place in the first two or three hundred miles.

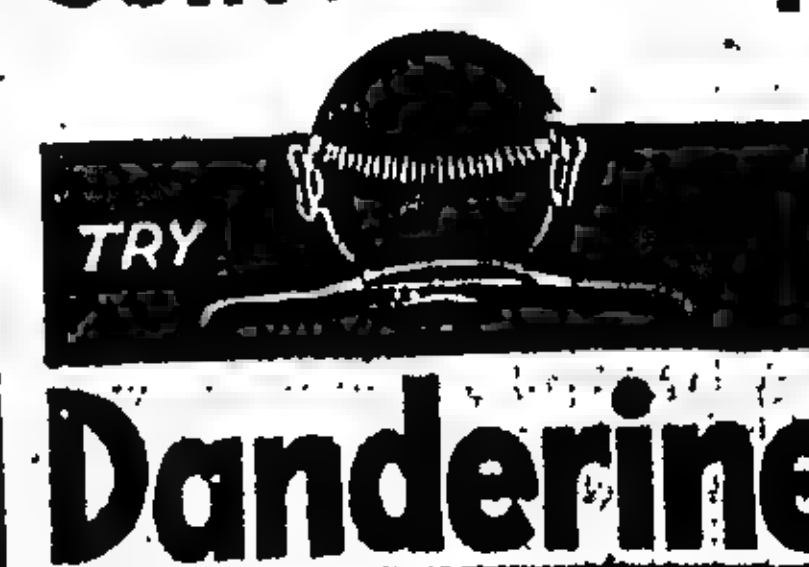
Another novelty is that instead of the small cars starting before the scratch machines and covering the same distance, all cars will start together, the slower machines being allowed a number of credit laps.

The 1,100 unsupervised cars, on the limit mark, will start at the same time as the over 8-litre, but will only have to cover 80 laps as against the 112 laps of scratch machines.

The race will start at 2.30 p.m. and will terminate when the fourth finisher has been flagged, or at 5.45, whichever is the earlier.

Any competitor who is still running when the race is stopped, and who has covered four-fifths of the distance, will be regarded as a finisher if he crosses the finishing line during the five minutes immediately preceding the stopping of the race.

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# NAWAB OF PATAUDI BACK IN BIG CRICKET

## Recovers From Three Years Illness HOME SPORTS NOTES

(By "Athenian")

It is good news for Worcestershire, and indeed for all cricket-lovers, that the Nawab of Pataudi is back in England and is expected to play for his adopted country in July. "Pat" has been out of cricket for three years owing to illness, but when he played for Indian Gymkhana at Osterley the other day he appeared to be his old self again.

The apparently effortless and brilliant strokes which delighted spectators in the past were much in evidence. If he can get enough practice he hopes to play for All-India against Lord Tennyson's team which will tour India next winter.

The Nawab scored a century in his first Test Match against Australia with Jardine's team in 1932. He failed in the second match and was not played again.

**BARRIE THE CRICKETER**  
Barrie, unlike most Scotsmen, was not interested in golf, but he always had a deep affection for cricket.

When "Pinky" Warner brought the "Ashes" back from Australia, Barrie took the chair at a banquet given in the cricketer's honour and in the course of his speech expressed regret that he had seen Warner but only twice, adding: "On the first occasion he scored one run. The second time, he wasn't quite so successful."

Once, when asked what his own bowling was like, Barrie replied: "Who is the slowest bowler in the game?" "I should say Greenfield, of Somerset," came the answer. "Well, I'm about half as fast," said Barrie.

**PROFIT FOR ESSEX**  
My recent remarks on Filby's table tennis remind me that Stanley Profit, a newcomer to county cricket, is also a brilliant international table tennis player who represented England in the Stuyvesant Cup. Profit is a Lancastrian now qualified for Essex.

Just before starting his county cricket career, Profit, a left-arm slow bowler, took all ten wickets and scored a century in a club match. If the left-hander can reproduce this form in his county matches Essex should finish a little higher up the list than last season.

Incidentally, I hear that the English Table Tennis Association intends to engage the Albert Hall, London, for a whole week for next season's championships, two of which will come into force in September, is the lowering of the net by three-quarters of an inch to a height of six inches. "Finger-spin" services are to be banned.

**STILL LARGER TOTE**  
I wrote recently that the Tote at the White City Dog Track claimed to be the world's largest, having 600 selling windows. Asot has gone one better. The Tote, which broke all records for Asot week, has just been enlarged and now has 620 windows. The staff number 700.

Asot was bad for bookmakers. Twenty of the 26 places went against them and it is estimated that altogether they lost £700,000. Favourites do win sometimes!

**WIDER BILLIARDS POCKETS**  
I hear that Joe Davis, having successful tour in South Africa. This is his second trip abroad. His first was four years ago when he went to Australia to play Walter Lindrum for the World title.

The British champion is reported as having said that from the point of view of the average amateur player, billiards and snooker were too difficult, and that to improve matters the width of the pockets should be increased by an inch.

This alteration would certainly mean bigger breaks. The player who now feels rather pleased with himself when he scores 25 would have little difficulty in making a 50 break. He would thus get more satisfaction out of the game. It is perhaps hardly necessary to add that there is little likelihood of the "reform" being adopted.

**WHY STOP AT 20 SECONDS?**  
This idea of changing the rules to suit the players is apparently popular in United States boxing circles. The Americans seem bent on altering the rules of boxing to conform to their own notions of what the "noble art"

should be. Following on the absurd "no foul" rule we now have what seems to me the equally ridiculous and unnecessary extension of the knock-out time from ten to twenty seconds. This was instituted for the Louisville boxing fight.

King enthusiasts cannot help asking: what next? Surely the rules of boxing should apply universally and should not be altered except by universal agreement? American boxers visiting Britain cannot expect to find a similar laxity regarding rules of the same willingness to alter those that may at times prove a little inconvenient.

**WHO HAS LONGEST REACH?**  
Though Neusel is 1½ inches taller than Farr, his reach is four inches shorter. The British champion's reach of 70 inches, though not by any means a record, is well above the average for heavyweight boxers.

Neusel measures 70 inches from finger tip to finger tip, just two inches shorter than Braddock. A heavyweight with an unusually short reach (for heavyweights) was Joe Beckett (70½ inches) who nevertheless defeated boxers with longer reaches, including Bombardier Wells (79½ inches).

## SWIMMING TRIALS

LAWRENCE SCORES  
IN 220 YARDS

WATER-POLO MATCH

Further swimming trials for the interport were held yesterday at the V.R.C. where two heats of the 50 yards, the 220 yards and a water-polo game were the events. Both heats of the 50 yards returned 25.3/5 sec. In the 220 yards W. Lawrence beat Norman Lee and A. A. Roza by three yards. Roza and Lee tied for second place. The time was 2 min. 30 sec.

N. Lee won the first heat of the 50 yards with Chung Tse-tung second in 27 sec. and R. B. Wood third in 27.1/5 sec. Lieut. Barron won the 50 yards with Ng Chung-mat second in 26.1/5 sec. and L. M. Remedios third in 27.1/5 sec. Lieut. Lewis and Gunner Seary also swam.

Lawrence got off to a fine start in the 220 yards, closely followed by Roza and Lee. Ng Chan-man retired after 100 yards. Roza tumbled closely to Lawrence for the first 50 yards but dropped behind over the last few lengths. Lee was about three yards in the rear, but spurted over the last 20 yards drew level with Roza for second place.

The water polo game was fast with Whites winning two goals to nil. Both were scored by A. A. Roza in the second half. Li Calvert played a great game subduing Roza all through the first half.

**TEAMS:**  
Whites.—M. M. Soares; W. Lawrence; Hussain; Fung Kwok-wah; A. A. Roza; R. Chan; J. J. Remedios.  
Blacks.—Chan Sik-pul; E. Chan; Dalgado; J. M. Calvert; E. M. Marques; A. A. Gutierrez; L. Roza Pereira.

R. A. AQUATICS

The Royal Artillery will hold its annual aquatic sports to-morrow at the South China bath, North Point, at 10 a.m.



W. A. Hadlee, the New Zealander, who scored a century against Essex yesterday. He will play in the final Test match on Saturday against England.

## I.R.C. Sports Successes Revealed In Annual Report

The annual general meeting of members of the Indian Recreation Club will be held on Wednesday, August 25, at 5.15 p.m. at the Club's premises at Sookumpoo, to receive and, if thought fit, to pass the Report and Statement of Accounts for the year 1937-38 and to transact any other business.

The Report contains the following items:  
The Committee regret to record the death of Mr. D. Rumbhah, who had rendered valuable services to the Club as Hon. Secretary, Treasurer, Committee-member and playing member, and they wish to extend to his relatives their condolence.

The Cash Balance as on June 30, 1937, was \$721.54, which is considered satisfactory. The Working Account showed a profit of \$126.36.  
Cricket.—During the year, the Club had a successful season. The Senior XI, led by Mr. A. H. Rumbhah, tied with the Hongkong C.C. for first place with 17 points, arrived at a no-decision in a replay. The Cricket League finally decided the Hongkong C.C. and the Club should be co-champions, each club keeping the Shield for six months.

It was most regrettable that Mr. F. D. Pereira, the fast bowler and one of the Club's interporters, had to withdraw from local cricket for health reasons and depart for Ceylon. Prior to his departure, Mr. Pereira was presented with a souvenir from his fellow-members in the presence of Mr. A. el Arculli, the President, who spoke on behalf of the donors, expressing regret at Mr. Pereira's departure and wishing him good luck and a speedy return to health.  
The interest in the Sunday Cricket League has been well maintained, and the Malays, captained by Mr. K. Nazarin, won for the third time the C.R. Brand Stout Shield presented by Messrs. Ed. and John Burke, Ltd., through Messrs. Harry Wicking and Co. Ltd.

**TENNIS CHAMPIONS**  
Tennis.—The Committee congratulate Messrs. S. A. and H. D. Rumbhah on winning the Open Doubles Championship of the Colony for the twelfth time. The Club is proud of their achievement.  
The Committee also congratulate Mr. H. D. Rumbhah on winning the Singles Championship of the Colony for the first time in an all-Indian final. His cousin, Mr. S. A. Rumbhah, was the other finalist.

**ATHLETICS**—The Sixth Annual Athletic Sports were held on April 25 and were well attended by members and their friends. Mrs. A. G. Saffell, wife of the Vice-President, gave away the prizes at the conclusion of the meeting.  
Social.—In celebrating the Club's cricket success in the Senior League and honouring members who represented Hongkong in the Cricket Interport against Shanghai last year, a dinner was held at the Club on April 24. The guests were Messrs. A. B. Minu, A. H. Madar and K. Nazarin.  
A dinner in honour of the Rumbhah cousins' tennis successes was also held and well attended.  
A dinner was given by Mr. S. S. Mamak during Coronation week in

## Football Association Council Meeting

The second meeting of the Hongkong Football Association Council will be held on Monday, August 16, at 6 p.m. in the Association's rooms at the Gloucester Hotel.

Business includes receiving minutes of the Management Committee held on Monday and to consider an application from the Boys' League for financial assistance.  
Prior to this meeting, the Referees' Committee will meet for an important discussion.

## HONGKONG BEATEN

Local Lawn Bowlers Lose Esplin Cup

Hongkong lawn bowlers were defeated in the annual Esplin Cup match by the Wandstead Bowling Club, by 24-19 on July 26. Three rinks of local bowlers were entertained at Wandstead, all losing their games by narrow margins.  
The officials were: Wandstead.—E. A. Brinklow, J. Ramsay, S. J. Goddard and A. Smith (skip).  
Hongkong.—C. Dowman (Police), A. F. Paul (Hongkong Electric), W. E. Hollands (Police) and W. V. Field (Craigengower C.C.), skip.

In the other two rinks, J. Roberts, V. H. W. Chittenden, C. T. Padgett and A. B. Allan (skip) were beaten by 22-20; while a rink skipped by T. W. Carr lost by 20-19.  
Wandstead finished the day with 66 shots to Hongkong's 58.  
Hongkong won the Esplin Cup for the first time in 1935, and repeated the success last year.

## PONIES CLASSIFIED

The following classification of Australian ponies has been announced by the Hongkong Jockey Club:  
"A" Class.—Able Amazon, Amulet, Aztec, Centre Court, Courting Eve, Double Finesse, Election, Gypsy Love, Helderado, Holliday Eve, Home Brew, Katinka, Lancashire Chips, Ranger and Strathroy.  
"B" Class.—A Great Time, Australin Boy, Bag Tor, Blandford, Bobnik Star, Derby Day, Dick Turpin, Llanrmor, Perfect Day, Racing Heart, Saucy Face, Snowy River, Stratherrick, Vixen Tor and Zodiac.  
"C" Class.—Beat That, Boronia Belle, Bravado, Brutus, Discovery Bay, Just That, Linggolen, Rooloff, Solerina, The Right Time, Twilight Star and Violet Queen.

## FARR-JOE LOUIS FIGHT PROSPECTS

### JACOBS EXPLAINS THE POSITION

(By Jack Cuddy)  
United Press Staff Correspondent  
New York.

Heavyweight Champion Joe Louis and Tommy Farr, champion of the British Empire, have been matched for a title fight "somewhere in the United States" in August.

This cancelled European negotiations for a Schmeling-Farr bout in London on Sept. 1.

The agreement was concluded by trans-Atlantic telephone and cable conversations between Promoter Mike Jacobs of New York and Farr's manager, Ted Broadbent.

Promoter Jacobs confirmed the telephone agreement with the following cable to Broadbent: "Your championship fight with Joe Louis accepted on basis of 20 per cent. option and guarantee I offered, Strickland okay on card. Fight in September. Regard our agreement closed, Mike Jacobs."

The "Strickland" referred to in the cable is Maurice Strickland, New Zealand heavyweight, who will fight in one of the preliminaries.

While the negotiations were being closed, Promoter Jacobs had a conference with Former Champion James J. Braddock and his manager, Joe Gould. The presence of Braddock and Gould in Jacobs' office at this time led many observers to believe that the Louis-Farr agreement to meet Braddock—instead of Louis—thus virtually forcing Schmeling to meet Louis in Chicago in September as Promoter Jacobs desires.

Jacobs explained that he closed with Farr because Schmeling had refused to accept or reject his offer for a September title bout with the Brown Bomber. "I gave Schmeling 30 hours in which to answer my cable," Jacobs explained. "And when he didn't even give me the courtesy of an answer, I decided not to monkey with him any longer. In my cable to Schmeling, I informed him that the New York commission had recognised Louis as champion and desired Schmeling as Louis' first title opponent."

Would this agreement for the Louis-Farr fight interfere with the Brown Bomber's proposed trip to England to fight Jack Doyle or Len Harvey at Wembley Stadium on August 9? Jacobs wasn't sure, but most of the boxing writers felt certain there would be no London trip for the bomber, now.

Farr is the young Welsh heavyweight who, in the past year, beat Walter Neusel, Maxie Baer, Jack Petersen, Tommy Loughran and Bob Olin.

## HELEN HICKS WINS WESTERN OPEN

Former U.S. Champion  
Takes Only Title  
Left For Her

Chicago, Illinois.  
Miss Helen Hicks, who was American Women's Champion golfer in 1931, became a champion again when she defeated Miss Beatrice Barrett, of Minneapolis, Minnesota, six and five in the finals of the Women's Western open tournament here.

Miss Hicks, from Hewlett, Long Island, led almost from the start and clinched the title with a lead of seven holes early in the match. This title is the only one for which she is eligible as she turned professional several years ago through connections with a sporting goods manufacturer.

The only other "business woman" in the tournament was Miss Babe Didrikson, of Benton, Texas, former women's Olympic star, who was eliminated by Miss Dorothy Foster, of Springfield, Illinois, in the quarterfinals one up in 19 holes.



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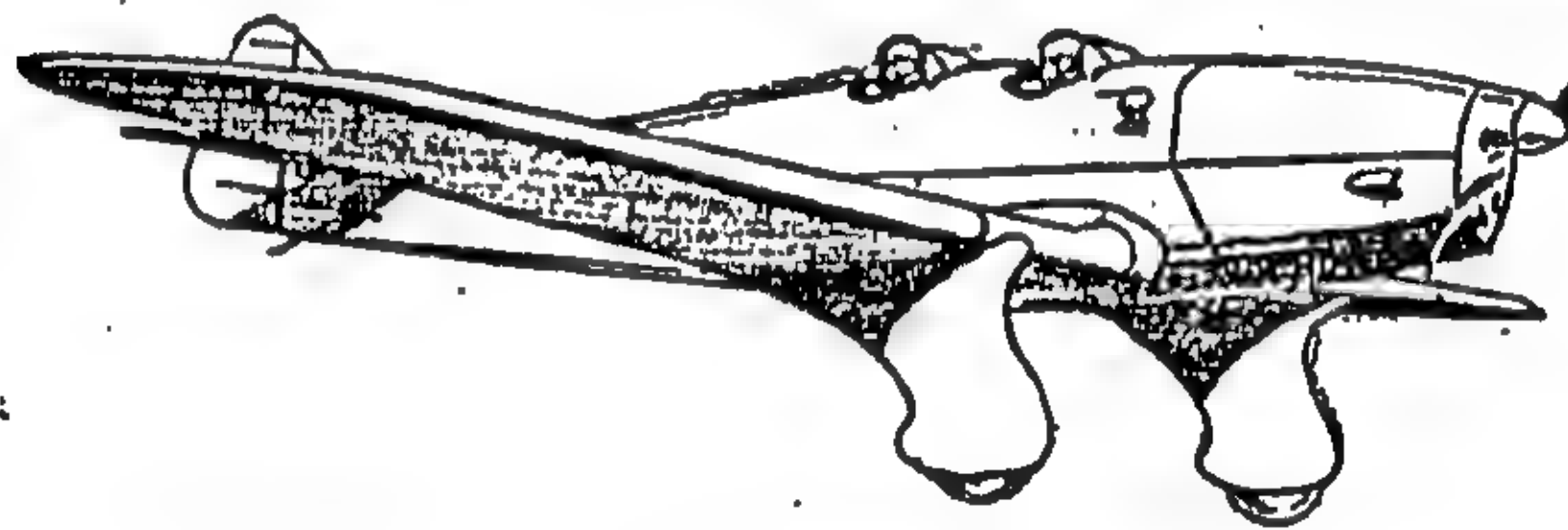
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In consequence of representations made by intending  
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date of the "Hongkong Telegraph" Amateur Photographic  
Competition to September 30, 1937.

Entry is free, and there is no limit to the number of  
pictures which may be sent in, but no picture may be  
entered in more than one section. Competitors are  
advised to read the rules carefully before forwarding their  
entries.

### LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

YESTERDAY'S CABLED  
QUOTATIONS

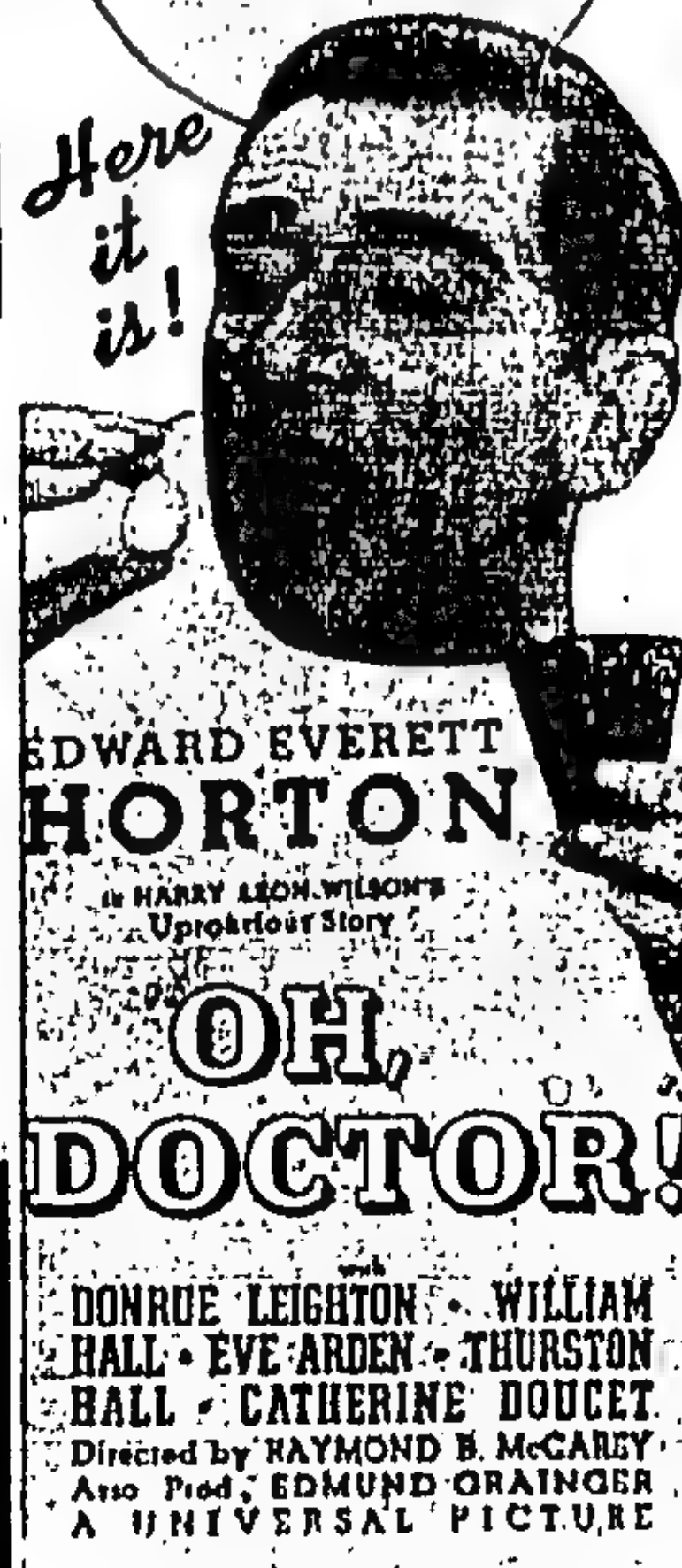
London	Aug. 10	Aug. 11
Price	Price	Price
War Loan, 3 1/2%	99	99
Chinese 4 1/2% Gold Loan	99	99
Chinese 5% Gold Bonds	99	99
Chinese 4 1/2% Anglo	99	99
French Loan, 1900	99	99
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(L.P.N.Y. Is.)	99	99
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5% 1913	99	99
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Japan 5% Sterling 1907	99	99
Japan 5% Sterling 1924	99	99
Japan 5% Int. Loan	99	99
Chartered Bank	14 1/2	14 1/2
Hongkong & Shanghai Bank	11 1/2	11 1/2
Chinese Ind. & Min.	11 1/2	11 1/2
Chosen Corp.	11 1/2	11 1/2
Pekin Syndicate	47 1/2	47 1/2
Shanghai Electric	47 1/2	47 1/2
Shanghai Waterworks	33	33
Union Insurance Society	37 1/2	37 1/2
of Canton	37 1/2	37 1/2
Gula Kalumpung Rubber	43 1/2	43 1/2
Allied Iron Foundries	30 1/2	30 1/2
Industries Elec.	49 1/2	49 1/2
Austin Motors, ord.	49 1/2	49 1/2
Cable & Wireless	85 1/2	85 1/2
British American Tob.	125 1/2	125 1/2
Camell Laird, ord.	15 1/2	15 1/2
British-American Tob.	15 1/2	15 1/2
Mexican Eagle	15 1/2	15 1/2
Courtauld & Sons	11 1/2	11 1/2
Distillers	11 1/2	11 1/2
Dunlop Rubber	23 1/2	23 1/2
Gen. Elec. (Ind.)	23 1/2	23 1/2
Guinness (A) Son & Co.	120 1/2	120 1/2
Hawker Siddeley Aircraft	23 1/2	23 1/2
Imperial Chemicals	39 1/2	39 1/2
Imp. Chem. Indus.	39 1/2	39 1/2
Imp. Tobacco	153 1/2	153 1/2
Mackay & Spencer	69 1/2	69 1/2
O.K. Bazaar	45 1/2	45 1/2
Hollis Royce	108 1/2	108 1/2
Leyland Motors	79 1/2	79 1/2
Tate & Lyle	85 1/2	85 1/2
Turner & Newall	98 1/2	98 1/2
United Steel	32 1/2	32 1/2
Smithwick Drop Forg.	23 1/2	23 1/2
Armsong Sleaves	10 1/2	10 1/2
Harrod & Sons	26 1/2	26 1/2
Vickers, ord.	32 1/2	32 1/2
Woolworths, ord.	73 1/2	73 1/2
Anglo-Dutch	41 1/2	41 1/2
Rubber Plant. Invest.	29 1/2	29 1/2
Trust	19 1/2	19 1/2
Burns Corp.	6 1/2	6 1/2
Commonwealth Min.	6 1/2	6 1/2
Marsman Invest.	51 1/2	51 1/2
Randolph	51 1/2	51 1/2
Exploration Co.	3 1/2	3 1/2
Sub-Nigel	29 1/2	29 1/2
Tenanti Gold Min.	104 1/2	104 1/2
Anglo-Franco	87 1/2	87 1/2
Burmah	113 1/2	113 1/2
Shell Trans. & Trad.	113 1/2	113 1/2
Chinese 5% Sigs. Notes	35	35
1923 (Vickers)	90	90
Canton-Kowloon Ry., 5%	90	90
Hongkong Ry., 1911	90	90
(German Is.)	90	90

### MANILA SHARES

The following opening quotations  
and closing business done quotations  
of the morning session on the Manila  
Stock Exchange were received by  
Swan, Culbertson & Fritz from their  
Manila office:

Prices in Pesos	Opening	Prices in Pesos	Closing
Buyers	Sellers	Buyers	Sellers
Atamok	21	21	21 1/2
Atok	10	10	10 1/2
Banguet Gold	100	100	100
Banguet Consol.	100	100	100
Banguet Expl.	10	10	10
Big Wedge	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2
Coco Grove	15	15	15
Consolidated Mines	2220	2220	2220
Demonstration	49	49	49
Euro Mindanao	18	18	18
Gumaua Gold	12	12	12 1/2
Ilogon	33	33	33
I. X. L.	33	33	33
Masbate	18	18	18
Mineral Resources	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Northern Mining	18	18	18
Paracale Gumaua	23	23	23
San Mauricio	100	100	100
Suyo	20	20	20 1/2
United Paracale	69	69	70
Market—Steady.			

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### NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

### SWAN, CULBERTSON & FRITZ LATEST REPORTS

New York, Aug. 10.  
S. C. & F. Dow Jones summary of  
to-day's markets: The market turned  
irregular on some profit-taking  
after a late morning rally, which was  
led by industrials. Oils were ex-  
tremely active early in the day, but  
later weakened. Crude Oil produc-  
tion has registered a record high.  
There was some profit-taking in the  
copper, despite the rise in the export  
price of the metal. Some inflation  
buying was noted, but the sentiment  
of the market has hardened. Grains  
showed strength. The cotton market,  
however, was nervous and buying  
is a weak follow-through.  
Bonds were mixed and irregularly  
lower. Curb stocks were irregular.  
S. C. & F. New York office cables:  
Stocks: The market moved  
narrowly in a dull session, with  
profit-taking apparent in some  
sections. News continues to be  
more cheerful than otherwise and  
prospects still seem to favour better  
prices. United States steel ship-  
yards. Business failures for the week  
amounted to 158. Bank deposits  
totalled \$14,877,000,000.  
Cotton: The market was nervous,  
awaiting an announcement from  
Washington regarding the proposed  
cotton loan. The Senate Committee  
is reported to be drafting a loan,  
probably for 10 cents, with a partly  
payment to producers complying with  
the proposed control programme next  
year. Farmers are reported not to  
be favourable to the loan. There is  
some talk of a world crop of 35,000-  
000 bales. Staple crop American  
cotton is reported to be high and the  
market will probably be called upon  
to absorb increasing hedging.  
Wheat: The strength of the  
Winnipeg market on the Canadian  
Government report of a crop condi-  
tion of 35 per cent, indicating a total  
crop of 160,000,000 bushels, together  
with to-day's export sales of 1,000-  
000 bushels were reflected here.  
Further bullish factors were Southern  
Hemisphere advices of urgent need  
for rains and export sales of 500,000  
bushels of our winter wheat.  
Corn: A forecast of general rains  
caused liquidation and heavy sales  
against purchases of wheat.  
Rubber: Liquidation on easy  
cables from abroad met with poor  
support. There is little tendency to-  
wards aggressive action here at  
present.  
Sugar: The market was quieter  
and prices were steady. There was  
some further September liquidation  
and short-covering.

### REUTER QUOTATIONS

Dow Jones Averages:	Aug. 9	Aug. 10
30 Industrials	180.75	185.98
20 Rails	53.25	53.99
20 Utilities	29.03	29.13
40 Bonds	101.20	101.24
11 Commodity Index	65.65	65.94

### SHARE PRICES

The following is the list of loca-  
share quotations issued this morn-  
ing.

Banks.	
H.K. Banks, \$1,805 b. Ex. div.	
H.K. Banks (Lon. Reg.), £111	
ex. div. n.	
Chartered Bank, £144 n.	
Mercantile Bank, A. and B.	
£33 1/2 n.	
Mercantile Bank, C., £15 n.	
East Asia Bank, \$101 n.	
Insurances.	
Canton Ins., \$300 n.	
Union Ins., \$610 n.	
China Underwriters, \$2 n.	
H. K. Fire Ins., \$280 n.	
Internat'l Assoc., Sh. \$3 n.	
Shipping.	
Douglas, \$48 1/2 b.	
H. K. Steamboats, \$9.50 n.	
Indo-Chinas (Pref.), \$51 n.	
Indo-Chinas (Def.), \$42 n.	
Shell (Bearer), 111/10 1/2 n.	
Union Waterboats, \$9.30 b.	
Docks etc.	
H.K. & K. Wharves, \$110 b.	
H.K. & W. Docks, \$32.85 n.	
Providents (old), \$2.25 n.	
Providents (new), 60 cts n.	
New Engineering, Sh. \$3 1/2 n.	
Shanghai Docks, Sh. \$108 n.	
Mining.	
Kailan Mining Adm. 21/- n.	
Raub, \$11 n.	
Venz. Goldfield \$3 n.	
Lands, Hotels, etc.	
H. and S. Hotels, \$8.00 n.	
H. K. Lands, \$35 1/2 n.	
H.K. Lands, 4 1/2 Deben. \$102 1/2 s.	
Shai Lands, Sh. \$11 1/2 n.	
Metropolitan Lands, Sh. \$7 n.	
H.K. Rentals, \$6.10 n.	
Chinese Estates \$90 b.	
China Realty, Sh. \$1 n.	
China Deben, \$80 n.	
Philippine Mining.	
Atamok, P. 76	
Atok, P. 22	
Banguet Gold P. 10 1/2	
Banguet Consol, P. 10.25	
Banguet Explor., P. 109	
Big Wedge, P. 15 1/2	
Coco Grove, P. 15	
Consolidated Mines, P. 2023	
Demonstrations, P. 49	
E. Mindanao, P. 18	
Gumaua Gold P. 14 1/2	
Ipo Gold, P. 66	
Ilogon, P. 33	
Ilogon, P. 33	
Masbate Consols, P. 18 1/2	
Min Resources, P. 19	
Northern Min. P. 66	
Paracale Gumaua, P. 24	
Salacot Mining, P. 201	
San Mauricio, P. 105	
Sayoc Consol, P. 27	
United Paracale, P. 69	

### EXCHANGE

Selling

T.T. London	1s. 2 3/4
Demand	1s. 2 3/4
T. T. Shanghai	103 1/2
T.T. Singapore	52 1/2
T.T. Japan	103 1/2
T.T. India	81 1/2
T.T. U.S.A.	30 1/2
T.T. Manila	60 1/2
T.T. Batavia	50 1/2
T.T. Bangkok	150 1/2
T.T. Saigon	81 1/2
T.T. France	75 1/2
T.T. Germany	132 1/2
T.T. Switzerland	132 1/2
T.T. Australia	170 1/2

Buying

4 m/s. L/C London	1/3
4 m/s. D/P do.	1/3 1/2
4 m/s. L/C U.S.A.	31 1/2
4 m/s. France	8.00
30 d/s. India	82 1/2
U.S. Cross rate in London	4.08 1/2

### Public Utilities.

H.K. Tramways, \$14.00 n.	
Peak Trams, (old), \$5 b.	
Peak Trams (new), \$2 1/2 b.	
Star Ferries \$85 1/2 b. x. Div.	
Yaumati Ferries (old), \$27 n.	
China Light, \$13.00 n.	
China Lights (new), \$13.70 n.	
H.K. Electric, \$60 n.	
Macao Electric, \$18 1/2 n.	
Sandakan Lights, \$14 1/2 n.	
Telephone (old), \$20.00 n.	
Telephone (new), \$11.00 n.	
China Buses, Sh. \$12 1/2 n.	
Singapore Traction, 24/- n.	
Singapore Pref., 23/- n.	

### Industrials.

Cald: Macg. (old), Sh. \$16 n.	
Cald: Macg. (Pref.), Sh. \$17 n.	
Union Ices, \$2 n.	
Cement, \$15.10 n.	
H. K. Ropes, \$5.05 n.	

### Stores, &c.

Dairy Farm, \$26.75 n.	
Watson, \$5.40 n.	
Lane Crayfords, \$8.65 n.	
Sinceres, \$2.60 n.	
Wing On (H.K.), \$50 n.	
Wm. Powells, 40 cts. b.	

### Cotton Mills.

Ewo Cottons, Sh. \$14 1/2 n.	
Shai Cottons, (old), Sh. \$100 n.	
Zoong Sins, \$34 n.	
Wing On Textiles, Sh. \$80 n.	

### Miscellaneous.

H. K. Entertainments, \$5.20 n.	
Constructions (old), \$1.00 n.	
Constructions (new), 50 cts. b.	
Vibro Piling, \$4 1/2 n.	
Ch. Govt. 5% 1924 GSEds. 97% n.	
H. K. Govt. 4% Loan 8 1/2% prm. n	
H. K. Govt. 3 1/2% Loan 1% b.	
Wallace Harpers, \$5 b.	
Marsmans Ins., (Lon.) s/- 28/- n.	
Marsmans Ins., (H.K.), s/- 7/3 s.	

### U.S. COMMODITY PRICES

### LATEST CABLED QUOTATIONS

The following quotations on the  
New York commodity exchange are  
issued by Reuter:

### New York Cotton

	New York, Aug. 10.	
October	10.42/42	10.39/40
December	10.37/42	10.31/32
January	10.41/41	10.35/35
May	10.53/53	10.47/47
July	10.50n	10.50/50
Spot	10.82	10.70

### New York Rubber

	New York, Aug. 10.	
Sept.	18.76b	18.50/50
December	18.98/80	18.61/62
January	18.92n	18.64n
March	19.00/00	18.72/72
May	19.08b/12a	18.81n
July	19.10n	18.80/80

### Chicago Corn

	Chicago, Aug. 10.	
Sept.	103 1/2/103 1/2	103 1/2/103 1/2
Dec.	113 1/2/113 1/2	114 1/2/114 1/2
May	113 1/2/113 1/2	113 1/2/113 1/2
Monday's Sales:	38,401,000 bushels.	

### Chicago Wheat

	Chicago, Aug. 10.	
Sept.	103 1/2/103 1/2	103 1/2/103 1/2
Dec.	113 1/2/113 1/2	114 1/2/114 1/2
May	113 1/2/113 1/2	113 1/2/113 1/2

### Winnipeg Wheat

	Winnipeg, Aug. 10.	
Oct.	122 1/2/122 1/2	127 1/2 bld
Dec.	110 1/2/110 1/2	124 1/2 bld
May	121 1/2/121 1/2	126 1/2/126 1/2

### Children's Colic.

Colic is a common trouble with  
infants and little children. Gas  
forms in the stomach and bowels and  
the consequent pain causes the child  
to cry out, he draws his legs up close  
to the body and refuses to be quieted.



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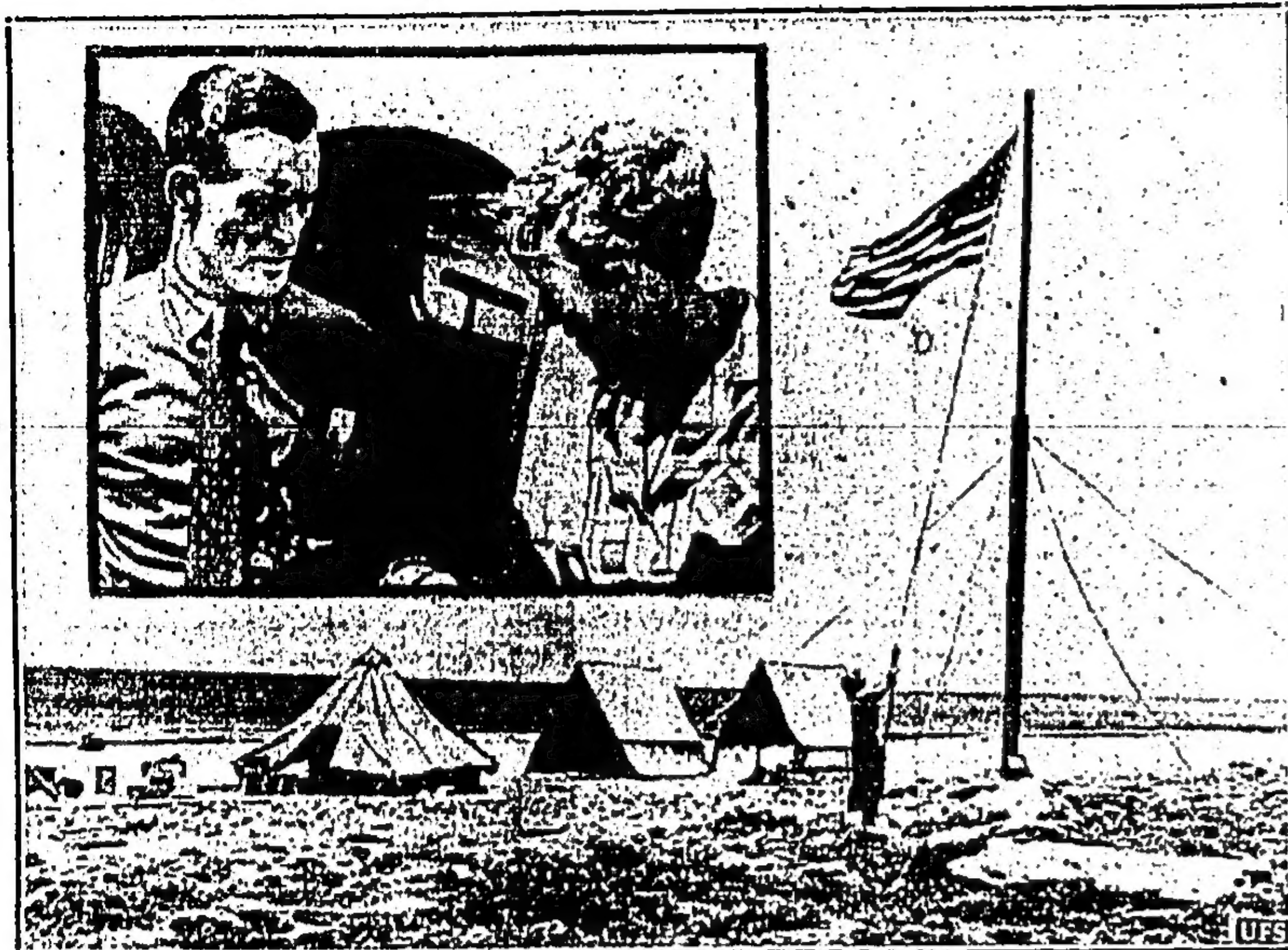




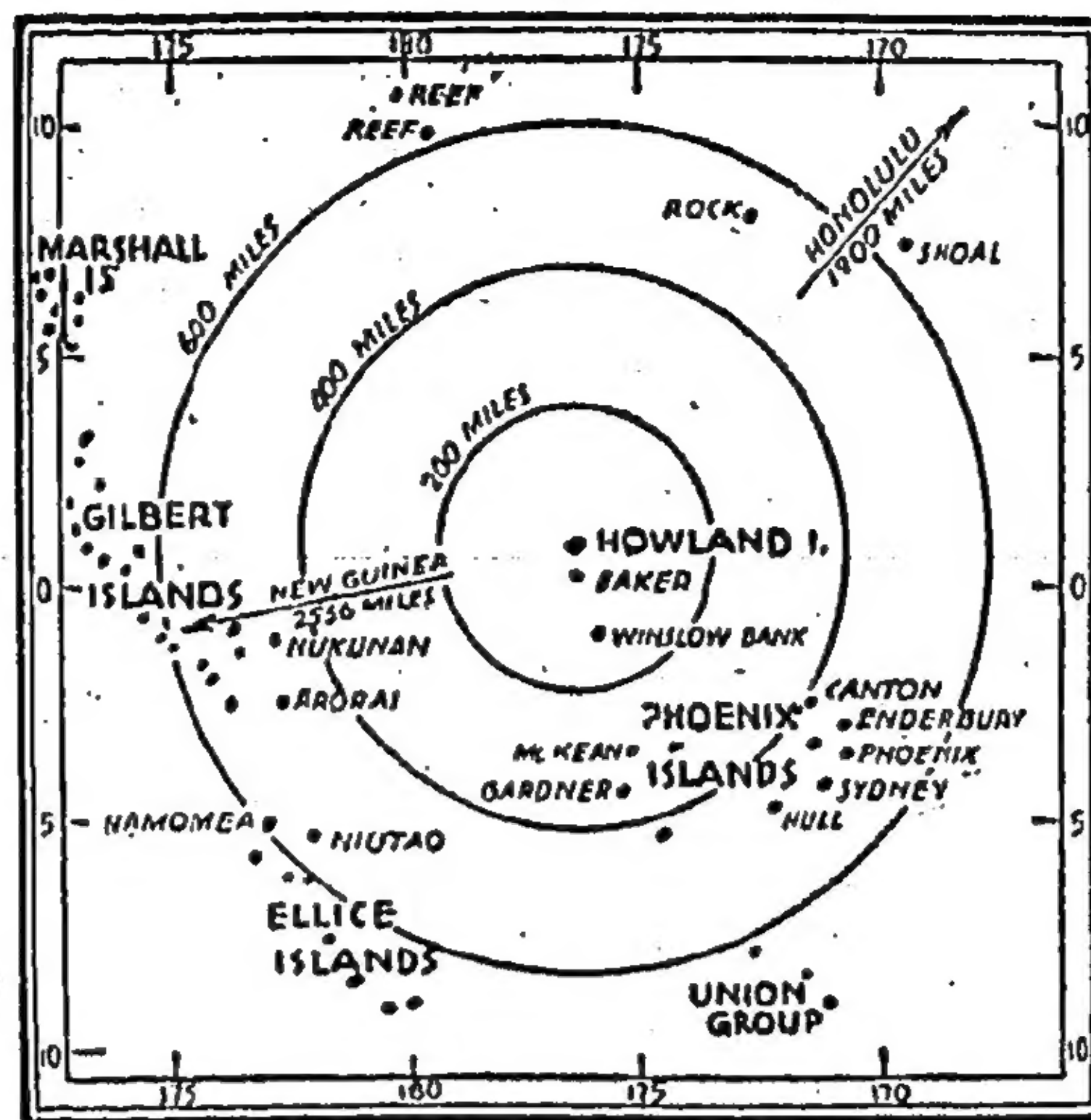
# NEWS OF THE DAY IN PICTURES FROM FAR AND NEAR

# Hongkong Telegraph PHOTONEWS

# HAPPENINGS AS SEEN BY THE CAMERA'S EYE



This sand-strewn coral reef in the Pacific Ocean was the goal missed by Amelia Earhart and her navigator, Captain Frederick J. Noonan, in their world-round flight. This scene occurred when it became the property of the United States in 1935. Inset, Miss Earhart and Captain Noonan in San Juan, Puerto Rico, on the first leg of their ill-fated flight.



**HUNT FOR AMELIA**—This map shows the locality around Howland Island in the Pacific Ocean where the hunt was made over long weary days for the missing Amelia Earhart and her navigator, Frederick J. Noonan. Howland Island, a mere sand-strewn coral reef, is shown as the focal point in the 'island-dotted' south seas.



**WOMEN IN WAR**—This scene on the Aragon front in Spain shows two Loyalist soldiers operating a field telephone. And one of the fighters is, as may be seen, a woman!



**WARFARE IN SPAIN**—Struggle for domination of the Aragon front in northeastern Spain has brought many scenes like this, taken in the town of Igles. These ruins are the result of insurgent air raids, when bombs rained from the clouds. Unfortunately for the village, it happened to be on the second line of the Aragon front. The ambulance has been wrecked.



**DANCE**—If it's a warm summer day, with the temperature hitting the high mark, you really don't need to get out and do this. It's being done so much more skillfully by these Bulgarian dancers who performed at the Castle Garden in Vienna, Austria, during an international folk-dance contest. Of course the dance is a quaint bit their ancestors did before them.

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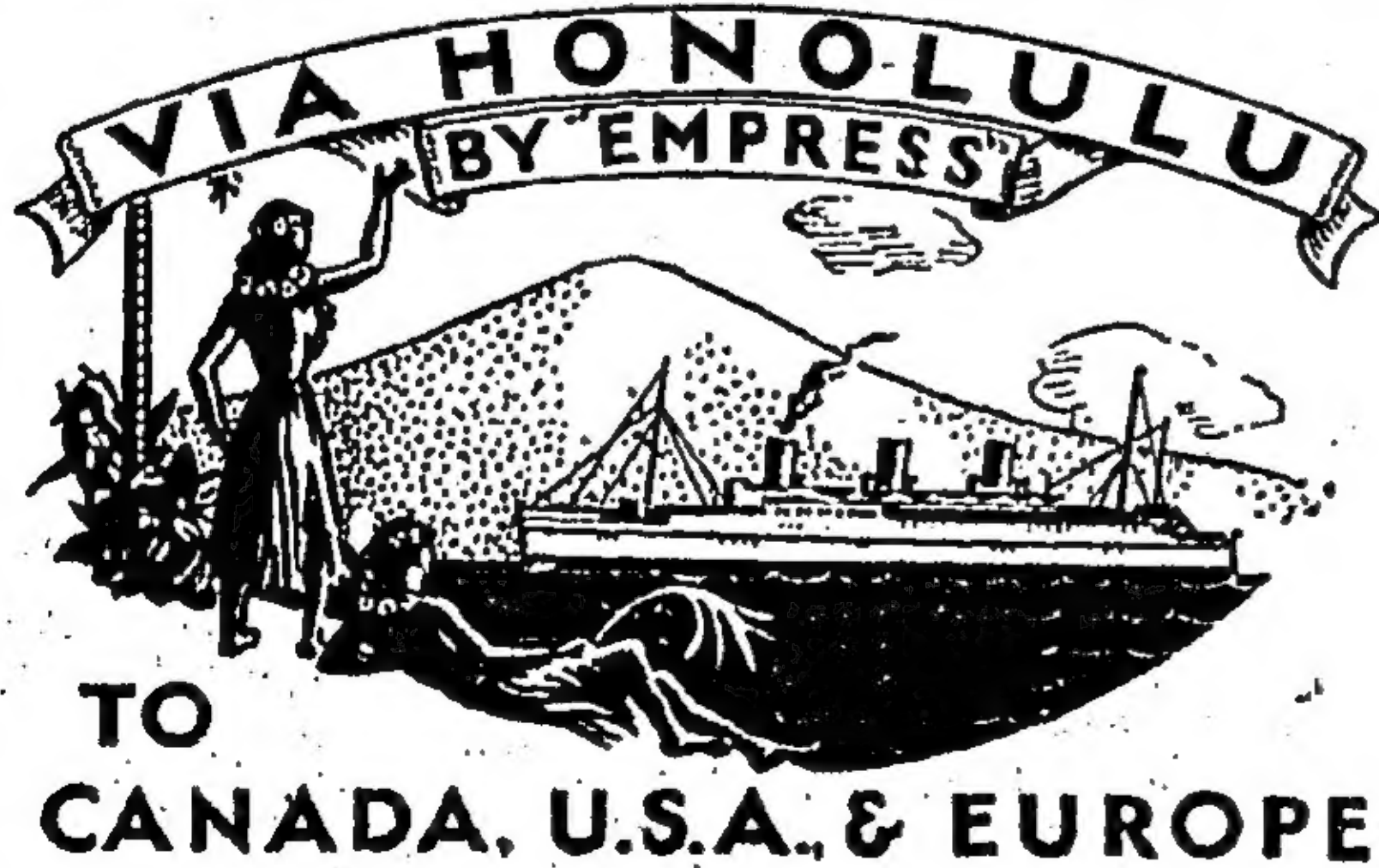
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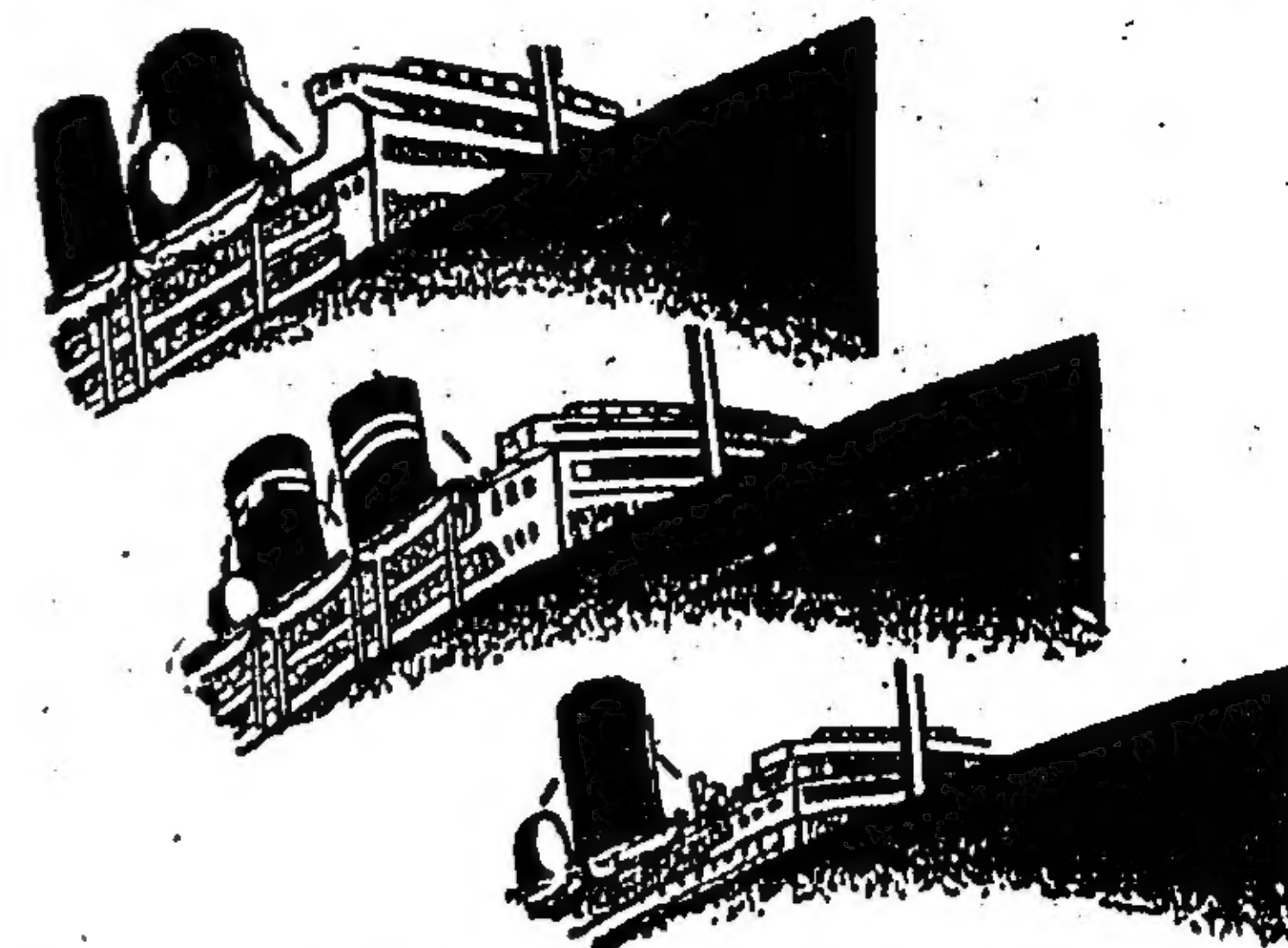
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*SOUDAN	7,000	14th Aug.	Marseilles, Havre, London, Hamburg, Rotterdam, Antwerp & Hull.
RAJPUTANA	17,000	21st Aug.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
*MIRZAPORE	7,000	21st Aug.	Straits, Bombay & Karachi.
*BANDRA	17,000	4th Sept.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
*BURDWAN	6,000	11th Sept.	Marseilles, Havre, London, Hamburg, Rotterdam, Antwerp & Hull.
*KIDDERPORE	5,000	15th Sept.	Straits, Bombay & Karachi.
RAWALPINDI	17,000	18th Sept.	Marseilles, & London.
CORFU	14,500	2nd Oct.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
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SIRDHANA	8,000	28th Aug.	Penang, Rangoon & Calcutta.
*GAMARIA	5,000	1st Sept.	Straits, Nauras & Calcutta.
SHIRALA	8,000	11th Sept.	Singapore, Port Swettenham,
TILAWA	10,000	25th Sept.	Penang, Rangoon & Calcutta.

### EASTERN & AUSTRALIAN SAILINGS

TANDA	7,000	3rd Sept.	Manila, Rabaul, Brisbane, Sydney,
NANKIN	7,000	2nd Oct.	Melbourne & Hobart.
NELLORE	7,000	30th Oct.	

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SHIRALA	8,000	18th Aug.	Amoy, Shanghai & Japan.
RAWALPINDI	17,000	10th Aug.	Shanghai & Japan.
TILAWA	10,000	2nd Sept.	Amoy, Shanghai & Japan.
CORFU	14,500	2nd Sept.	Shanghai & Japan.
*SOMALI	7,000	2nd Sept.	Shanghai & Japan.
NANKIN	7,000	2nd Sept.	Shanghai & Japan.
SANTHIA	8,000	16th Sept.	Amoy, Shanghai & Japan.

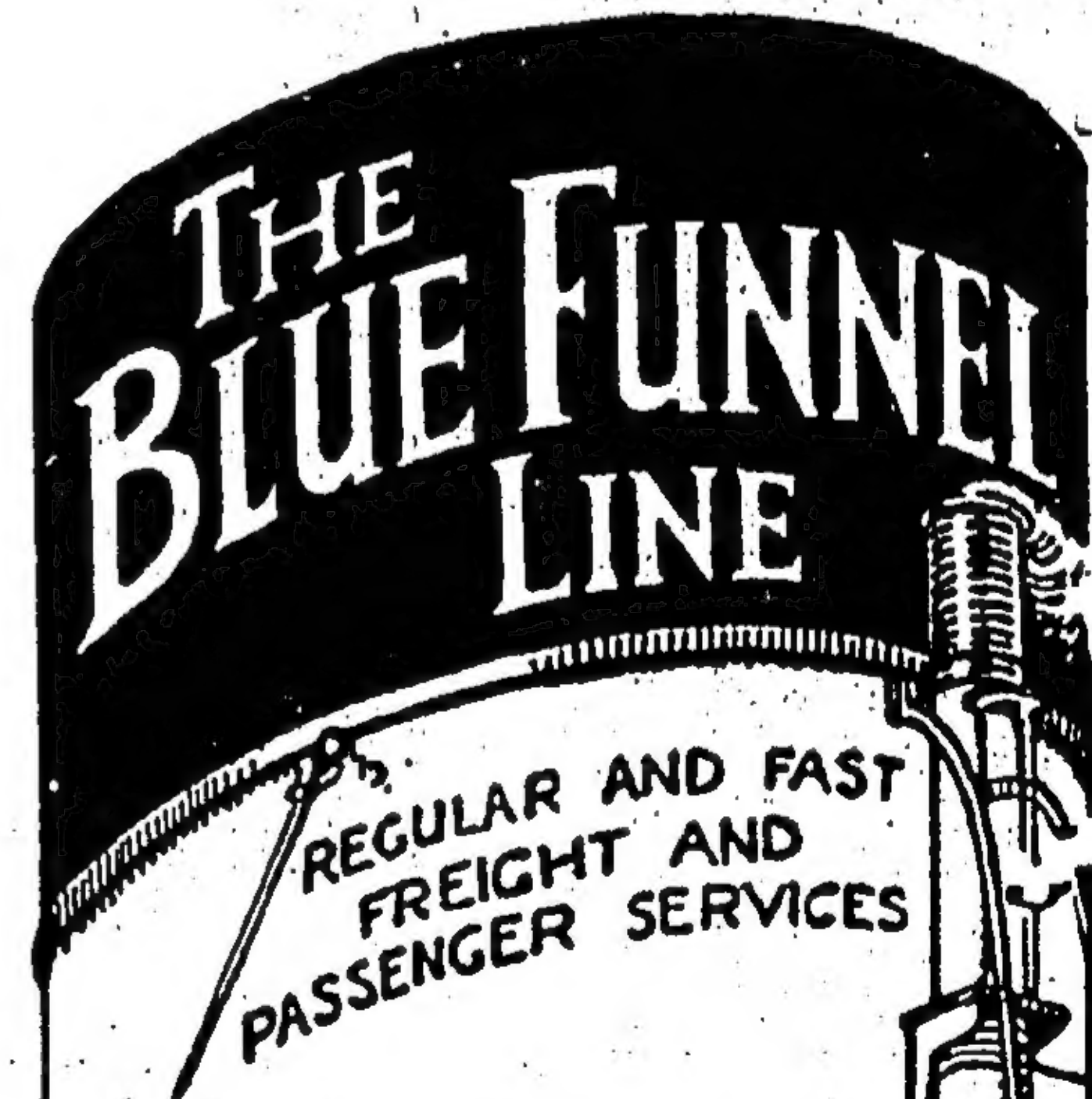
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### LIVERPOOL SERVICE

MARON	sails 4th Sept. for Havre, Liverpool, & Bournemouth.
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### NEW YORK SERVICE

PHIEMUS	sails 27th Sept. for Boston, N. Y., Philadelphia & Baltimore via Batavia, Straits & Cape of Good Hope.
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### PACIFIC SERVICE

TYNDAREUS	sails 17th Aug. for Victoria, Vancouver & Seattle.
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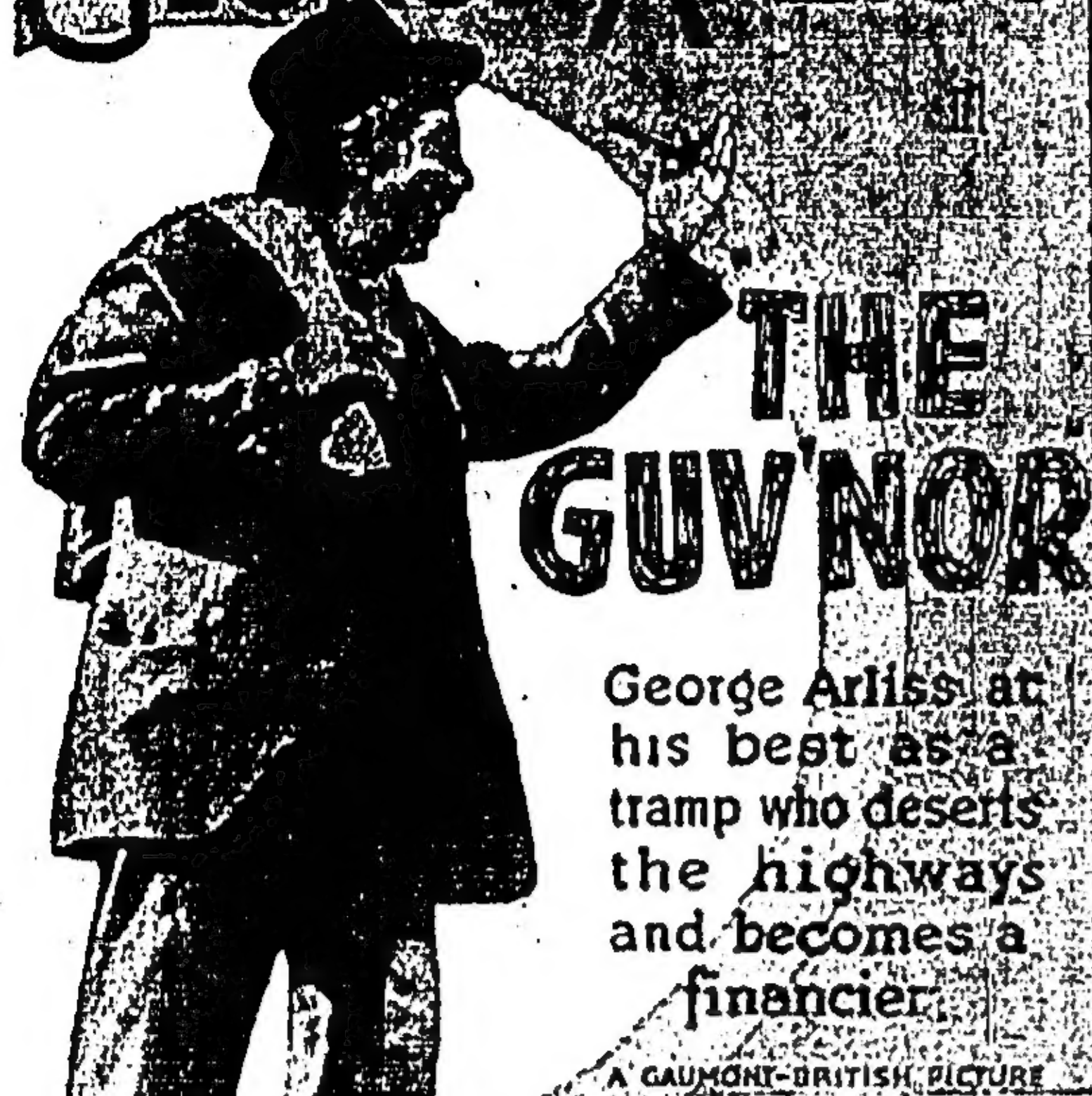


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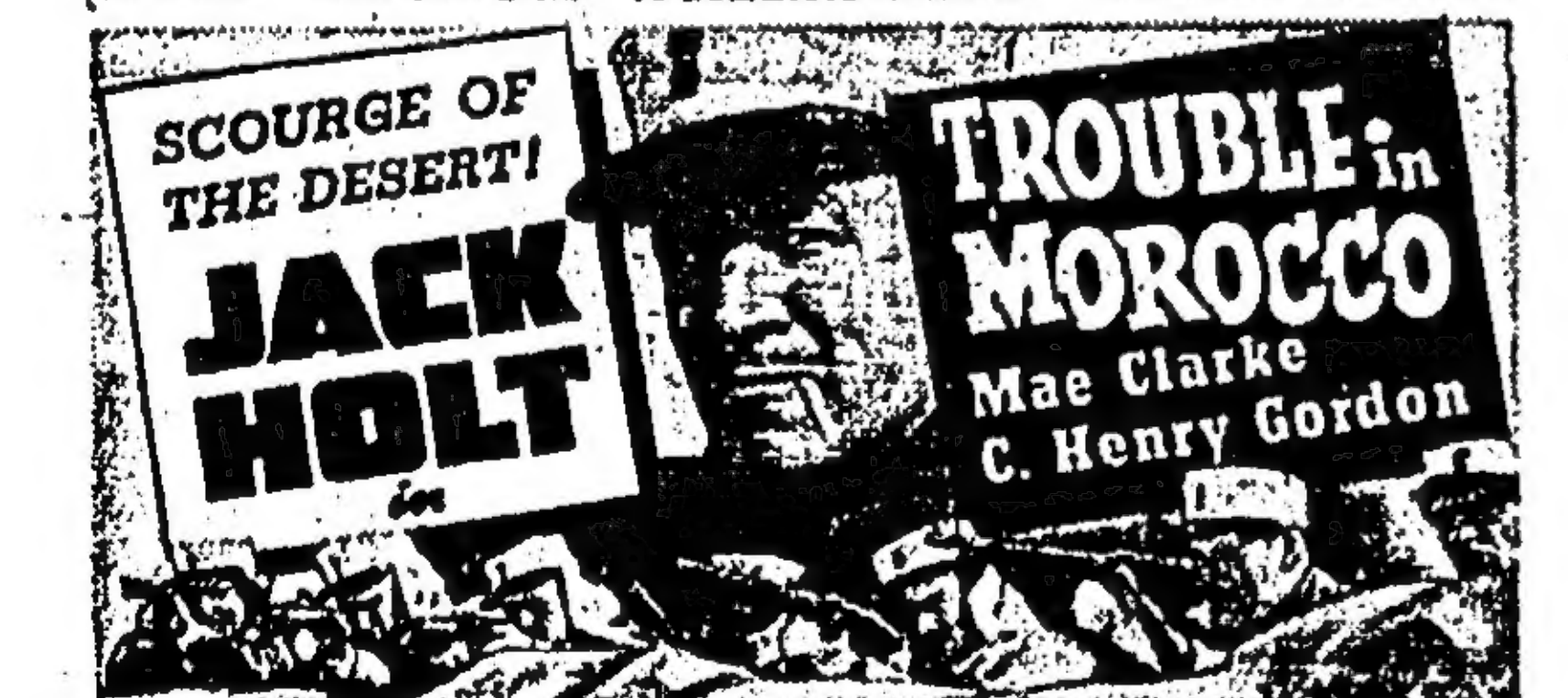
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## NATIONAL LEADERS DEFEATED

St. Louis Gains Slightly

New York, Aug. 10. Both the leading teams of the National League, Chicago and New York, were beaten to-day, St. Louis, third position club, gaining one of the many steps it logs behind.

New York was well pounded by Boston Bruins, whose star infielder, Cuccinello, whacked a homer, and helped score six runs on ten hits. New York scored once.

Brooklyn defeated Philadelphia seven to three while Pittsburgh whipped Chicago, six to five, 13 hits to seven. Todd and Herman hitting home runs for their respective teams.

St. Louis won by a narrow margin from Cincinnati, three to two, seven hits to six. Goodman homered for the Reds.

Washington, in the American League, twice romped through the Philadelphia defence, hitting enough for 15 runs to seven in the opener without a homer. Brucker hit a circuit drive for Athletics. Athletics hit 17 times in the nightcap but could only score six. Hill and Brucker both circling the bags. Washington scored eight on 13 hits.

Chicago defeated Detroit six to four. There were no other games.—Reuter.

## "Very Honest" Fisherman In Trouble

Dutiable Tobacco On Board

Described as "a very honest man," Chan Sap-ng, 20, was fined \$75 by Mr. K. Keen at the Central Magistracy this morning on a charge of having aboard his junk tobacco for which duty had not been paid.

Mr. C. A. Sutherland Russ appeared for defendant and pleaded guilty. Asking for leniency, Mr. Russ said the tobacco was taken on board by some members of the crew for private use. When the Revenue Officers were sighted someone on board, apparently frightened by their "sinister nature," dumped the tobacco overboard.

Senior Revenue Officer Grimmitt said defendant had been very honest, going so far as to admit that the weights found on board were used for dumping tobacco. There were 11 lbs. of tobacco on board and the duty involved was \$15. Mr. Grimmitt indicated he could have applied for the confiscation of the junk. The reason for not doing so was because defendant was a legitimate fisherman and not a professional smuggler.

## Campaigning For Return Of Colonies

Novel Appeal For Sympathy

Berlin, Aug. 10. A new propaganda campaign for the return of the colonies Germany lost in the last world war has been staged at Hamburg.

In a lake in a public garden, which is frequented by the British community, models of German steamers and German torpedo-boats have been placed in the water and miniature palm trees and tropic scenes have been created along the sides of the lake, imitating German colonies.

Local speakers announced at intervals: "We are building gigantic fleets of merchantmen and a strong navy to trade with and protect our colonies. We must have back our colonies, for no great nation can go for long without colonies."—Reuter.

## Not Cholera

Arrested Man Free Of Disease

The suspected case of cholera among one of the prisoners arrested in the West Point district on Sunday last was stated by Inspector W. Maier before Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Magistracy this morning, to be a false one.

Inspector Maier said the doctor's report revealed that the man, Chan Sang, who has been arrested for hawking without a licence, was free from cholera, and would be able to appear in Court to-morrow. All the other hawkers, and prisoners who had contact with Chan would also appear in Court at the same time.

When the case was suspected to be one of cholera, all precautions were taken at West Point Police Station, and all police officers and persons who had come into contact with Chan Sang were given medical treatment.

## TENNIS ACES EXPECTED TO PLAY IN HONGKONG

Donald Budge and Gene Mako, United States and Wimbledon doubles champions, are almost certain to visit Hongkong next December according to Harry Hopman, the Australian tennis "ace," in a recent exclusive interview in Melbourne by Mr. Norman Stockton, a Telegraph representative.

Budge and Mako are expected to be nominated to represent the United States in the Japanese championships which take place in November and will afterwards visit Australia.

Hopman and Len. Schwartz have been chosen by the Australian L.T.A. to play in the Japanese championships and Hopman has indicated that they will be willing to appear in exhibitions in Hongkong both on the trip to Japan and upon their return with Budge and Mako in December.

Full story will be found on Page 8.

## EXPLORING AVENUES TO TRADE

Kung Now Guest Of Germany's Officials

Berlin, Aug. 10. Having completed financial agreements in New York, London and Paris, Dr. H. H. Kung, China's Finance Minister, held a long conversation with Germany's Dr. Hjalmar Schacht, Minister of Economy, to-day. They are reported to have discussed ways and means of increasing the volume of goods exchanged between China and Germany.

Field Marshal von Blomberg, German Army chief, was present at a luncheon given by Dr. Schacht for Dr. Kung.

To-morrow Dr. Kung will have conversations with the German Foreign Office, with State Secretary Dr. von Mackensen.

He will be entertained by Marshal von Blomberg, Thursday, and on Friday again by Dr. Schacht. Thereafter he leaves for Prague, Czechoslovakia, home of one of the greatest armaments industries in the world. Later he will go to Rome, and sails for China, from Genoa, on the steamer Scharnhorst.—Reuter.

## Army Service Changes

Soldiers To Qualify For Pensions

London, Aug. 10. The Secretary for War, Mr. Horé Belshin, in a broadcast talk this evening said the Government had decided first to allow serving soldiers, who, having enlisted, as is the present general practice, for seven years with the colours and five years on the reserve, are about to complete their colour service, to extend it, secondly, to allow reservists of certain classes to rejoin the colours.

Both serving soldiers and reservists who rejoin will, on completion of 12 years' service, be eligible to re-engage to complete 21 years' service so as to qualify for pension.

Explaining the experiment, which is for a limited period, he said that the response may show how far the alteration of terms of Army service on these lines meets the desire of those who take to the soldier's profession. Mr. Horé Belshin said he was told that one of the chief anxieties of the serving soldier had been his inability to continue in a profession which he had mastered and liked. Under the new offer, his mind would be set at rest. He would know that the State would use his services normally, till he had completed 21 years' total service, generally at about 40 years of age.

Under the present system, a soldier is bound to leave the colours after a limited period and, although a good soldier, he often cannot find another job. The proposal was to give him a job in his own profession, with a pension attached to it, and it would be a consolation to him to know that at the time of his discharge he would, while still in the prime of his life, have something coming. In fact the offer met the frequent assertion that a soldier ought to get more for his service, for, under the new scheme, the pension was in effect added to his pay. That would give greater confidence not only to the soldier himself but also to his family.—British Wireless.

## BUILDING FOR HEALTH

BRITISH SCHEME GOES FORWARD

London, Aug. 10. Local authorities have been instructed to build health centres and holiday camps and to appoint instructors for physical training under the National Physical Training and Health Bill.

Facilities for exercise for young men and women, including swimming pools and gymnasia, are recommended in a scheme which will cost many millions, but to which the Government will contribute one half the funds necessary.—Reuter.

## ZIONIST CONGRESS DEADLOCK

Partitioning Plan For Palestine Causes Rift

Zurich, Aug. 10. The closing stage of the Zionist Congress was marked by sharp disagreement, necessitating the postponement of the session until to-morrow.

According to a Jewish telegraphic agency, the extremist group of the anti-partition front is contemplating a walk-out in the event of the anti-partition resolution being rejected. The moderate elements of the anti-partitionists, headed by the Chairman, M. Ussishkin, oppose such a demonstration.

The exact terms of the resolution drafted by the Resolutions Committee have not yet been published, but it is understood that they embody the principles of Dr. Chaim Weizmann's motion and the labour section's motion.—Reuter.

## PROLONGED DEBATE

Zurich, Aug. 11. After a lengthy debate, which continued until the early hours of the morning, the Zionist Congress postponed its vote on the Palestine partitioning resolution until 9.30 a.m. to-day. The result is expected about noon.—Reuter.

## Italians And British May Reach Accord

Forecast Of Scope Published

Rome, Aug. 10. A forecast of the scope of the new Anglo-Italian accord, given by the usually well-informed newspaper, Stampa, says Geneva's recognition of the Italian Empire in Abyssinia is expected in the first fortnight of September, and negotiations for the new accord will take place at the end of the summer.

The accord, says this journal, will amplify the "gentlemen's agreement," but will be more definite. "The two Governments," says Stampa, "will present a series of requests which will require careful examination. The points of contact between the two nations will no longer be limited to the Mediterranean, but will cover the Red Sea and the Indian Ocean."—Reuter.

## CONTROL PLAN ARREARS

SEVERAL STATES FAIL TO PAY

London, Aug. 10. It was revealed at the last meeting of the Chairman's Sub-Committee of the Non-Intervention Committee that many Governments parties to the non-intervention agreement, including all except the United Kingdom among the five principal Powers which undertook between them to limit 80 per cent. of the cost of the control scheme, had fallen into arrears in payment to the International Non-Intervention Board.

An urgent request was accordingly made to the Governments in arrears to hasten payment of past and current contributions. Estonia, Denmark, Netherlands, Turkey and the Irish Free State have now paid their dues to date, but the remittances of 15 of the smaller States and of four Great Powers have not yet been received.

## CHOLERA SUSPECTS

Suspected of suffering from cholera, Chan Ping, 32, of no fixed abode, was removed to the Kennedy Town Infectious Disease Hospital yesterday. The man was found sick and desolate in Des Voeux Road Central.

Found outside house 278 Des Voeux Road West, an unknown Chinese was also removed to the same hospital as a cholera suspect.

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## PHILIPPINE GOLD MINES

PRODUCTION FIGURES FOR JULY

Below are production figures for July from Philippine gold mines:

Benguet Consolidated Mining Co.—P.836,182.00, up P.40,000 over June. They treated 24,922 tons of ore.

Balabac Mining Company—P.1,121,331.58, down approximately P.40,000 from June. They treated 37,807 tons of ore.

Cal-Horr.—P.99,880.22, up P.1,001 over June. Ore treated 5,438 tons.

Sahco Mining Company—P.27,753.76, approximately equal to June. They treated 4,000 tons of ore.

Royal Paracale Mines, Inc.—This was formerly the Ixi-Arge Mining Company. Production for July amounted to P.25,677.69, down approximately P.8,000 from June production.

Itoyon Mining Company—P.188,736.02, down approximately P.41,000 from June. They milled 14,799 tons of ore.

Sah Mauricio Mining Company—P.125,059.53, down approximately P.65,000. They treated 6,007 tons of ore.

Suyo Consolidated Mining Company—Produced P.120,201.50, down approximately P.9,000 from June. They treated 6,271 tons of ore.

United Paracale Mining Company—Produced P.187,216.30, up approximately P.15,000 over June. They treated 10,695 tons of ore.

Benguet Exploration Mining Company—Produced P.1,707.00, up approximately P.1,000 over June.

Antamok Goldfields Mining Company—Produced approximately P.400,000, down approximately P.42,000 from June.

East Mindanao Mining Company—Produced P.55,000.00, down approximately P.11,000 from June.

Masbate Consolidated Mines—Produced P.248,502, down P.8,000 from June.

Demonstration Gold Mining Co.—Produced P.129,202.37, up approximately P.2,000 over June.

12L Mining Company—Produced P.160,058.69, up approximately P.3,000 over June.

Ingulo Gold Mining Company—Produced P.110,153.00, approximately June's Production.

SIX MONTHS IN PRISON

Six months' hard labour was the sentence passed by Mr. K. Keen at the Central Magistracy this morning on Lai Hing, who admitted a charge of possession of 545 heroin pills at 24 Mercer Street, first floor.

## THREE LOITERERS SENTENCED

FOUND PROWLING IN EARLY MORNING

Three unemployed men, Lung Lam, aged 24, Chan Fat, aged 20, and Tsang Ting, aged 40, were charged before Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Magistracy this morning, with loitering in Wongachong Road at 3.15 a.m. on August 9. They all admitted the charge.

Detective-Sergeant A. F. Estall, prosecuting, said Chinese detective C128 was on duty in Leighton Hill Road, near the Police Club, at 3.15 a.m. on Monday when he saw three defendants walking along Morrison Hill Road. The men walked towards Wongachong road and the junction with the Yeung Wo Hospital, one walked up Village Road and two went up Shing Wo Road. The detective followed the two men, and with the assistance of a uniformed constable arrested them and then went to look for the other man, and also took him into custody. Defendants admitted at the time that they were going to steal pork from the market. Third accused had two previous convictions.

At its first offence, first and second accused were bound over in the sum of \$25 each to be of good behaviour for a year, and were ordered to be sent back to Canton, while third defendant was sentenced to three months' hard labour, owing to his bad record.

## UNMUZZLED DOGS OUT

The officer in charge being absent, the summons against Madame Chiffon, of 5 Shouson Hill Road, for allowing her dogs abroad on Island Road without muzzles, was withdrawn by Mr. K. Keen at the Central Magistracy this morning.

Defendant denied having allowed her three dogs abroad. She said they were in her own property just outside the house, and it was quite possible they were chased by the policeman.

The animals, she added, did not belong to her. They were the property of the late Mr. Pittendrigh, and she was looking after them for Mrs. Pittendrigh, who was arriving in a week's time.

On a similar summons of allowing his two dogs abroad at Barker Road without muzzles, F. M. Ellis, of 485 The Peak, was fined \$15. Defendant, who is away from the Colony, was represented by his servant.

A similar summons against J. T. Prior, of 34 The Peak, was adjourned for a week, owing to the non-appearance of defendant.

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